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Nativity comes to life again on Bethel common

There may have been no snow, but there was plenty of Christmas spirit Sunday evening at the annual Living Nativity on the Bethel Common. Renee and Grayson Wakefield and their daughter, Gracie, played the roles of Mary, Joseph and the baby Jesus. Gracie, born in January, spent several of the first months of her life in a Boston hospital being treated for a medical condition with which she was born. Pictured with the Wakefields (Grayson is in the dark background) are angels, from left: Kaiya Corriveau, Tracy Gibbs, Cassidy Webster, Hayley Peterson, Alivia Chappie and Claire Webster.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)



## Two Bethel girls to lead off the Rose Parade

By ALISON ALOISIO

On New Year's Day two Bethel girls will ride the lead float in the Tournament of Roses Parade.

Kelsey Gamble and Tamara Isham, both students at Gould Academy, were chosen as Maine's two representatives in the National Anthem Project Honors Choir.

The project promotes school music programs, where most Americans learn the Star Spangled Banner. Recent surveys have shown two out of three Americans don't know the words to the song.

The float features an American Bald Eagle carrying two American flags in its talons.

The choir — together with the singing group the Oak Ridge Boys — will sing the National Anthem and other songs dur-

ing the parade.

The girls will also help decorate the float and participate in activities in and around Pasadena and Los Angeles during the holiday season.

They are expected to have the music ready by the time they arrive in Los Angeles on the Dec. 28, and will be busy until they leave on Jan. 2.

They will also sing at Disneyland, and will make a recording as a group.

The girls were encouraged to apply for the trip by their music instructor, Scot Fuller.

"The application process included a recommendation from

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## Calendar's art and diary entries picture life on West Paris farmstead

By MICHAEL DANIELS

For nearly two centuries a four-story, timber frame barn has stood prominently just below the crest of Stearns Hill in West Paris; but over those years time and the New England weather have taken their toll.

Now, if the barn is to continue to grace the hill long into the twenty-first century, it will need some help.

The Maine Historic Preservation Commission is willing to put \$10,000 toward initial restoration work, but only if the barn's present owner can match that in local funding.

The owner, Ellen Gibson,

hopes the sale of a commemorative calendar will enable her to make that match.

### Sales proceeds will help restore the barn at Stearn's Hill Farm.

The barn was built by William Stearns Jr. sometime around 1817. It, along with the rest of farmstead, then passed down through several generations of the family.

In 2003 Gibson purchased the farm from her uncle and aunt, William H. and Jane Porter Gibson, who had lived there since 1971, when they had purchased the farm from Ellen's grandparents.

Prior to 2003, Ellen herself had not lived on the farm herself, but she had visited frequently both as a child and during the three decades she spent in California following her graduation from Oxford Hills High School in 1973.

Now, she lives year round on the farm, while her husband, Robert Long, divides his time

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## Attorney contends accused Bethel man takes 'adequate' care of his animals

By ALISON ALOISIO

The attorney for a Bethel man facing criminal charges for animal cruelty claims animal officials have been unfair in dealing with his client.

Attorney David Whittier of South Paris represents Larry Smith. In August, Smith had seven charges — five criminal and two civil — brought

against him in connection with his treatment of his horses and cows.

The charges were filed by Mac McCormick, Bethel's animal control officer, who was advised on the case by veterinarian Chris Fraser of the Maine Dept. of Agriculture's Animal Welfare Program.

Smith was scheduled for trial in Rumford court on Dec. 11, but Whittier requested and received a continuance until March.

The criminal charges are Class E misdemeanors, Whittier said. Each has a potential

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## Christmas & New Year's EARLY AD DEADLINE

The Bethel Citizen will be CLOSED Christmas & New Year's Day, Monday, December 25 & Monday, January 1st

Due to the short production time,

we've had to move our

Advertising deadlines to...

Friday, Dec. 22 & Dec. 29 at 4:00 pm

Thank You and Happy Holidays!

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**Christmas For Children**

The Bethel Rotary Club has successfully raised \$12,882.90! To be used to purchase toys for needy boys & girls.

A Big THANK YOU to everyone who generously made a contribution!

Dr. Shaw's office on Lower Main Street will be CLOSED for vacation Dec 23-Jan 1. In event of eye emergency please call 836-2481 Happy Holidays!

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## Letters

### ONLY ADDING TO THE PROBLEM

**To the Editor:**

One of the most difficult problems facing Mainers today is the high cost of owning a home — taxes,

One of the things we need most of all is for our legislators, be they local or in Augusta, is to find a way to reduce the tax burden on Maine citizens. This isn't happening. On the contrary we have a freshman representative from our area, a representative who has yet to sit in his first legislative session, intending to put forth a bill that would allow the legislators to increase the tax rate on people who live in unorganized territory.

People move to unorganized territory, in many cases, just for that reason. They know that they won't get the same fast response that we enjoy in Bethel if we need the police, the fire department or any other government response whatever. They agree that their kids will spend more time on the bus to get to school, they will normally have to drive further to shop for the home, and in general with the exception of a better tax rate they are more inconvenienced than those of us who live in and around town.

While I'm no fan of how much we have to pay in taxes because we live in an organized town, I don't see the solution in raising the taxes for people who don't live in an organized town.

If Representative Carter wants to help the people in our area and across the state then I would suggest to him that he find ways to cut the wasteful spending practices of the ruling party in Augusta and find ways to take the tax burden off the people.

If he doesn't, then it will be the same "tax and spend" policy that has put Maine in the unenviable position of being the highest tax state in the country and he will have only added to the problem.

*Harry Faulkner  
Bethel*

### MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS

**To the Editor:**

My name is Frank Norwood. I am the Maine military funeral honors coordinator. In conjunction with the Maine Army National Guard, I coordinate Military Funeral Honors for the veterans of Maine.

The Maine Military Funeral Honors Program is in place and has been providing appropriate military funeral honors to Maine's veterans for two years. According to the Maine Veterans Administration, Maine is losing approximately 3,800 of our veterans per year. This number is not expected to decrease until the year 2030. We have performed nearly 1,500 military funeral honors ceremonies throughout the state of Maine since October 2004. Many veterans are being interred without their final recognition. I would like to correct this situation by combining efforts with all Maine news outlets.

The rendering of military funeral honors for United States Armed Forces veterans is a tribute that our veterans and their families justly deserve and, in fact, are entitled to. Section 578 of the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2000 requires the Department of Defense to provide, upon request, military funeral honors for eligible veterans.

Any person (Active, National Guard, or Reserve) who received an honorable discharge is eligible for military funeral honors.

Veterans who did not receive appropriate military funeral honors may also be honored. This is often difficult for a family to bring up, but the Maine Military Funeral Honors Program is prepared to honor those veterans who were not properly honored in the past.

Veterans, families of veterans, funeral directors and concerned citizens are encouraged to call with any concerns or questions: Frank R. Norwood at 626-7822, 626-7822 (DNA), (800) 958-5967, (703) 901-8531 (cell), or 626-7804 (fax).

*Frank R. Norwood  
Maine Military Funeral Honors Coordinator*

### FILLED WITH JOY OF THE SEASON

**To the Editor:**

Once again the community of Bethel has pulled together to act out the Living Nativity held on the Bethel Common. It was a "snowless" evening, but one still filled with the joy of the season. Although the Bethel Alliance Church may help organize the event, it is really the entire community that works together to put it on.

We are glad to be a part of this wonderful evening and wish to extend our thanks to the Bethel Inn and Country Club, Maureen Libby and Jeff Erickson from Sunday River Alpacas, Gould Academy, Dean and Debra Richmond, Carol Duplessis of Pooh Corner Farms, Dottie Boyce, Callie Colby, Cathy Hoy and Drew Webster. We would also like to thank the many people who participated as actors, singers, set-up/tear-down crew and those from the community who attended.

It is a privilege to live in a town where, after 43 years, this is still a yearly event.

On behalf of all those involved in the Living Nativity, I wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year.

*Rev. Kevin J. Bellinger  
Pastor, Bethel Alliance Church*

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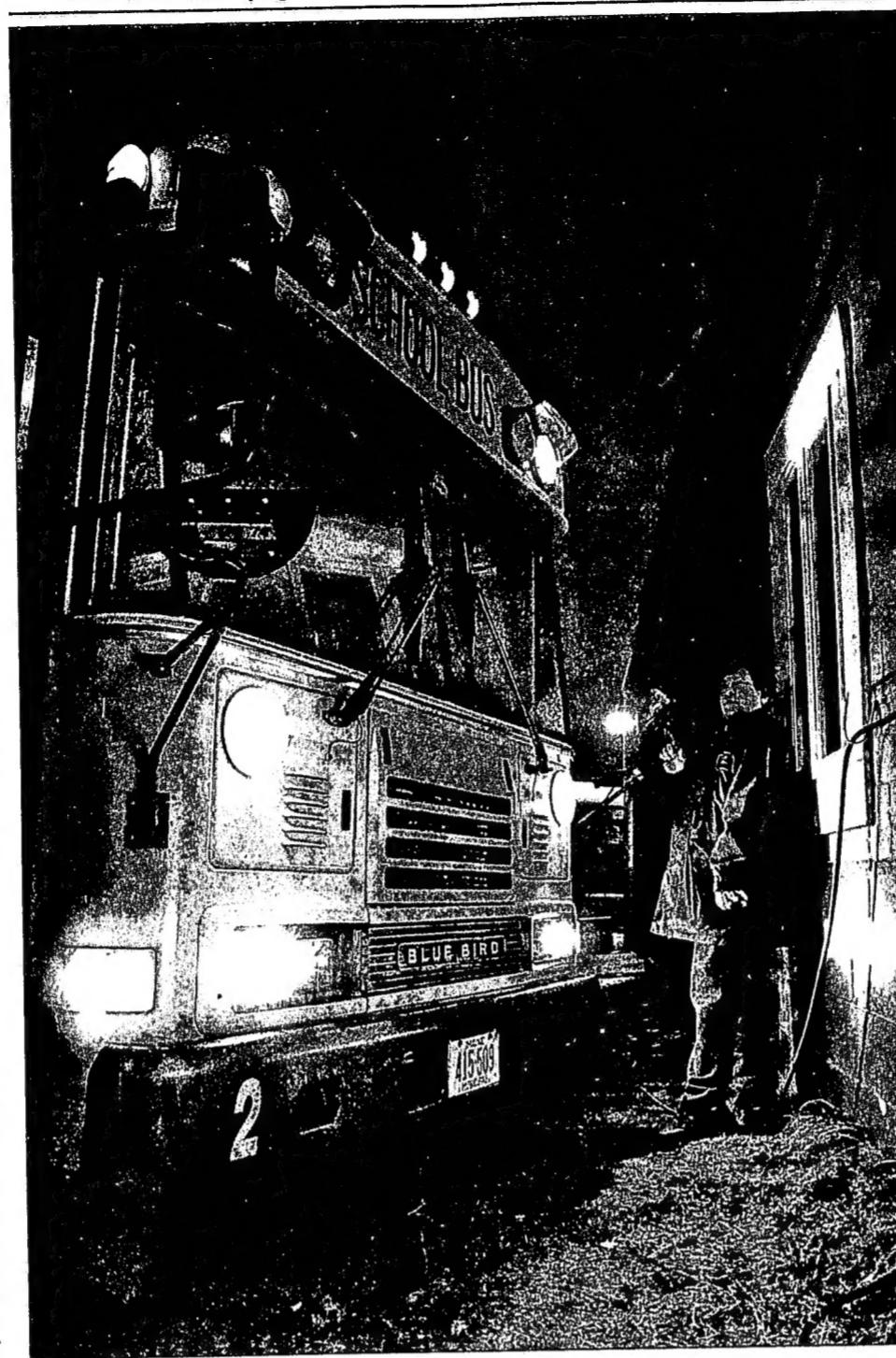
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## Drivers

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**MORNING INSPECTION**  
SAD44 bus driver Sandra Gunther checks the lights on her bus at the district's bus garage. Gunther arrives to start preparations for her Bethel route at about 6:30 a.m.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

Thursday, December 21, 2006

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson  
**10 years ago:** Retired banker and municipal auditor Lloyd Decate of Norway was appointed interim town manager of Greenwood.

An early morning fire swept through the home of Walter Appleby III on the Perkins Valley Road in Woodstock.

Norway Savings Bank held a grand opening at their new Bethel location.

Births: Jesse Leighton, Whitney Wilson Morse.

Deaths: Anne B. Drew, Margaret B. Boyce, Dana A. Eastman, Gary M. Holmes, Lila M. Brown.

**20 years ago:** Portraying the Holy Family in Bethel's Living Nativity were Richard and Carole Duplessis and their three-week-old son Christopher.

Mundt-Allem Post American Legion donated \$250 to the Bethel Fire Department's Jaws of Life fund.

Well over 100 senior citizens attended the Rotary Club's annual Christmas dinner served at the Bethel Legion hall.

Deaths: Minna Wagner Jacobs, Lawrence P. Kimball, Ernestine Smiley, Charles Melville, Arnold M. Shatney, Elwood A. Richardson.

**30 years ago:** Megan McGuire, Nancy Chadbourne, and Beth Ann Douglass portrayed angels in Bethel's 13th annual Living Nativity.

Telstar outscored Leavitt 68-53 in their Mountain Valley Conference meeting at Telstar.

At a special town meeting, Woodstock voters approved \$1,934 from the equipment account for the purchase of a Clark sander.

Deaths: Jill Marie Olson, Amber Maria Bean.

**40 years ago:** In order to facilitate snow removal, the town banned parking on the easterly side of Church Street between the Gould Infirmary and Winter Street.

Winners in the Chamber of Commerce's Home Decorating Contest were Ralph Hall, Mrs. Norma Jodrey, Miss Nancy Lincoln, and Mrs. Lester Bickford.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cousins and son Charles portrayed the Holy Family in Bethel's third annual Living Nativity.

Deaths: Tracy Alan Gordon, Leann Dorris Coolidge, Pamela Jean Walker.

Deaths: Mrs. Mary Abbott, Mrs. Blanche R. Worcester, Amos M. Barnett, Robert J. Wermenchuk.

**50 years ago:** Construction was well underway on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase on Bridge Street. (Now the location of Jade's Salon)

Many members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship and Congregational Pilgrim Fellowship went Christmas caroling throughout the town on Christmas Eve.

A fire of unknown origin gutted the two and a half story home of Leonard Kimball on Mechanic Street.

Birth: Paul Richard Dunham.

Death: Nathan Clifford Grover.

**60 years ago:** Plans were being made to celebrate the Congregational Church centennial. Committees were appointed.

Roger Wheeler was carrying on logging operations in Sandwich, N.H.

Augustus Carter purchased the house known as the Curtis Winslow place.

Deaths: Mrs. Tilson Burke, Mrs. Mildred Hapgood Lyon, Mrs. Glendine Ring Heikkinen.

**70 years ago:** Heavy rain caused flooding in several places. Christmas programs were postponed on account of travel conditions.

Deaths: Anna Carlson Cook, Mrs. Marion True Gehring.

**80 years ago:** Thermometers registered seventeen below zero.

Farm buildings of Frank Langevin, South Andover, were destroyed by fire.

J.M. Harrington was appointed deputy sheriff in Bethel.

Death: Lizzie Brackett Anas.

**100 years ago:** Ernest O. Cross was shot while deer hunting.

Bethel Masonic Lodge meeting was held in the Odd Fellow's hall following a fire at Honest Corner.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, libel, taste and readability.

When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

Send your letters to: Editor, Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, ME 04217-0109. Fax: 824-2426.

E-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com

## Briefly

### ASC sells Steamboat

DENVER, Colo.—The American Skiing Company said Tuesday it has entered into an agreement to sell Steamboat Ski & Resort Corp., one of the nation's largest ski areas, for \$265 million in cash to Canadian resort operator Intrawest Corp. The move, which is subject to regulatory approval, would bolster Intrawest's resort holdings in Colorado to three while helping ASC's bottom line. "At the end of the day it's a transaction that is the right thing to do for American Skiing Co. and creates a tremendous amount of value for us," B.J. Fair, president and chief executive officer of American Skiing, told The Associated Press. In a statement, Intrawest President Alex Wasilov said the acquisition fits with the company's strategy to expand through acquisitions. The sale will include the resort at Steamboat Springs about 110 miles northwest of Denver, some real estate assets, a hotel and the company's interest in the Walton Pond Apartments. The privately held Intrawest also agreed to assume \$4 million in debt. The deal is expected to close by March. ASC's Fair said proceeds from the sale would be used to reduce outstanding debt and to focus on developing other properties. ASC, which also owns Sunday River and Sugarloaf/USA resorts in Maine; Killington and Mount Snow in Vermont; and the Canyons in Utah announced plans to sell the Steamboat Springs resort in July, citing favorable market conditions. Fair said there was a fair amount of interest in Steamboat Springs this time but declined to identify other interested parties, citing confidentiality agreements. The ski area at Steamboat Springs was founded in 1963 and became well-known as a training ground for U.S. Olympic athletes which has earned it the title of Ski Town USA. Last year, the Steamboat Springs ski area recorded more than 1 million skier visits and was among the top 10 busiest resorts in the United States.

### Murphy's contract extended

BETHEL—SAD44 directors last week voted to extend Superintendent Dave Murphy's five-year contract to 2012. The vote followed an executive session to review his job performance. Salary for the extension will be discussed in the future.

### Baxter State Park expanded

MILLINOCKET—A 4,000-acre parcel that includes Katahdin Lake has been added to Baxter State Park, fulfilling its benefactor's vision and providing the ultimate holiday gift to the people of Maine, Gov. John Baldacci announced Friday. The announcement followed completion of the purchase Thursday by the Trust for Public Land, which negotiated the deal with Gardner Land Co., led a \$14 million private fundraising campaign and transferred the deed to the Baxter State Park Authority. The deal also includes an additional 2,000 acres north of the lake that will be open to hunters and snowmobilers and be managed by the Maine Department of Conservation. Baxter State Park, a 200,000-acre rectangle that includes Mount Katahdin, was donated by former Gov. Percival Baxter decades ago with the proviso that it remain "forever wild." Over the years, Baxter had acquired land for inclusion in the northern Maine park but was never able to add Katahdin Lake, seen as a missing crown jewel. In addition to miles of pristine lake frontage, the addition to the park includes old-growth forest and spectacular views of mile-high Katahdin, the northern terminus of the Appalachian Trail. "We could not think of a better holiday gift for the people of Maine. In a way it is a gift to ourselves, as so many Mainers helped to make this dream a reality," Baldacci said in a statement released prior to announcements in Millinocket and Portland. "I am pleased that we have been able to deliver Katahdin Lake to the people of Maine, and to salute the conservation vision of Governor Baxter."

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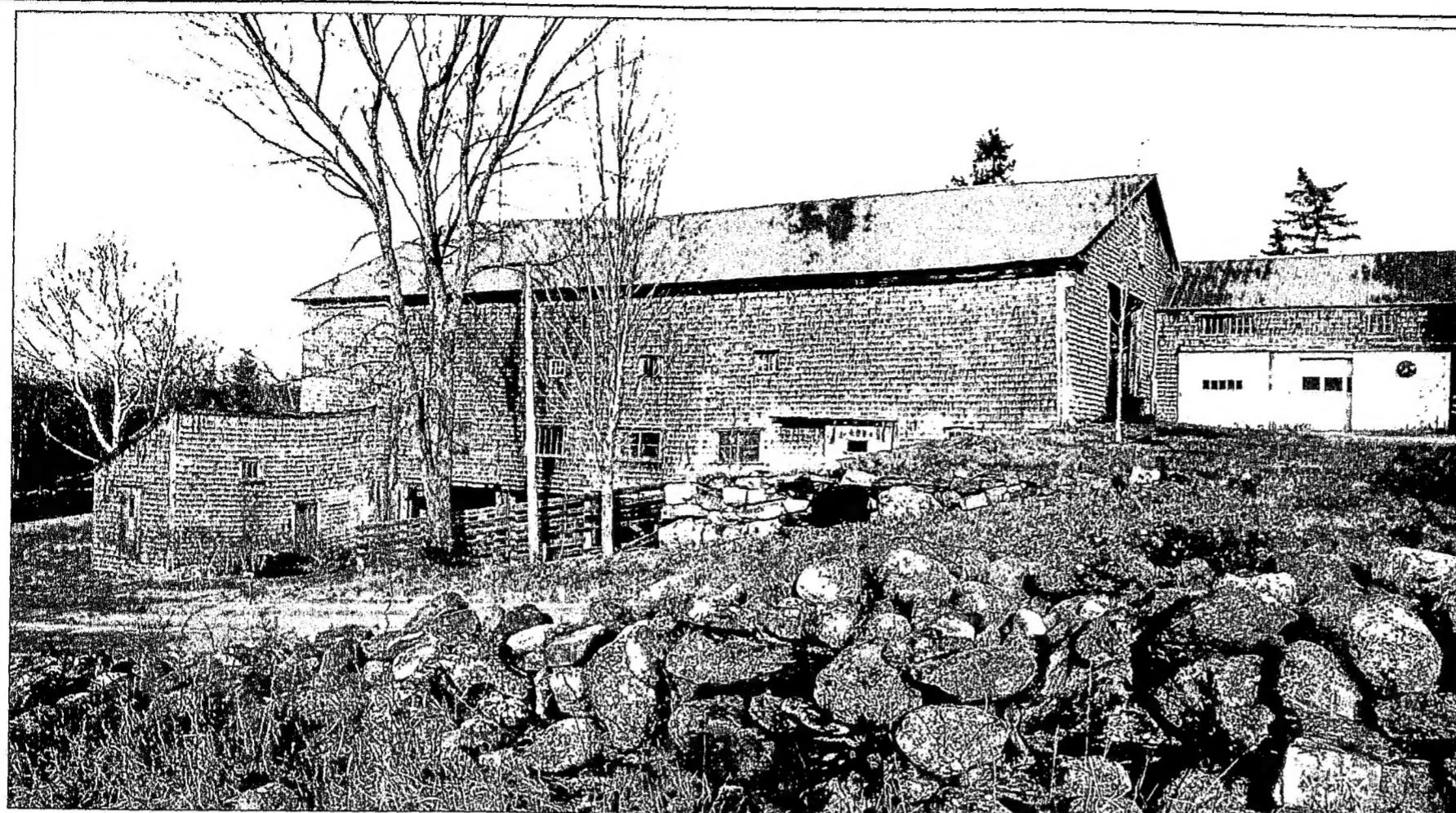
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**Calendar**

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**THE  
BARN AT  
STEARN  
HILL FARM**  
Was built sometime around 1817, and later expanded from four bays to seven. The four-story timber frame building is 45 feet wide and 90 feet long.

(Photo: M. Daniels)



between the farm and California, where their youngest son is completing high school.

**Aging landmark**

The barn Gibson hopes to restore is a 45-by-90-foot building consisting of seven bays.

When the original four bays, along with the farmhouse, were built, it was intended to accommodate primarily sheep.

Later more bays were added to provide the space needed

for cows and hay.

And over time — as was the case with most such farmsteads — the barn was connected to the farmhouse.

The barn is currently used for storage of historic and modern-day farm and garden implements, carts, wagons, sleighs, maple syrup-making gear, lumber and for hay (which is sold throughout the winter).

Gibson hopes that after the barn is repaired, it will also house sheep, goats, draft horses, pigs and chickens.

She is also looking into developing a museum in the upper story, with a collection of agricultural artifacts, carts, wagons, and sleighs.

**First steps**

Doing all that will be expensive.

Gibson estimates it will take upwards of \$100,000, and several years, to totally restore the structure.

The first installment on that long-term investment is \$20,000, to pay for stabilizing the barn and rebuilding the foundation on the north side.

The MHPC has awarded Gibson a grant of \$10,000, which she must now match if the project is to go forward.

To help do that, Gibson and her family have compiled a 2007 calendar that draws on both the life and the art of the farm.

Each month in the calendar year is illustrated by a linoleum print by Jane Porter Gibson, made from 1971 to

2003.

Along with the art are excerpts from the diary of William Child Stearns, who lived on the farm all his life, from 1866 to 1945.

MHPC said: "Barns are icons of our history, and this calendar captures a heartwarming, long-term relationship between a Maine family, and Maine landscape and a Maine barn."

For Gibson the project is as much about people as it is about a physical structure.

"The barn is a visual structure representing my family and our history," she said. "But more than that, it tells us about early New England, how people lived, and how they adapted to change over time. We are still adapting. Looking back and understanding the past can help us move more mindfully into the future."

Save the Barn on Stearns Hill Farm calendars are on sale at the Bethel Historical Society Museum Shop (824-2908), and through a website, [www.stearnsfarm.com](http://www.stearnsfarm.com).

The website shows each month's artwork and tells about the artist, diarist, and the history of the barn.



DECEMBER, from the 2007 Save the Barn at Stearns Hill Calendar.

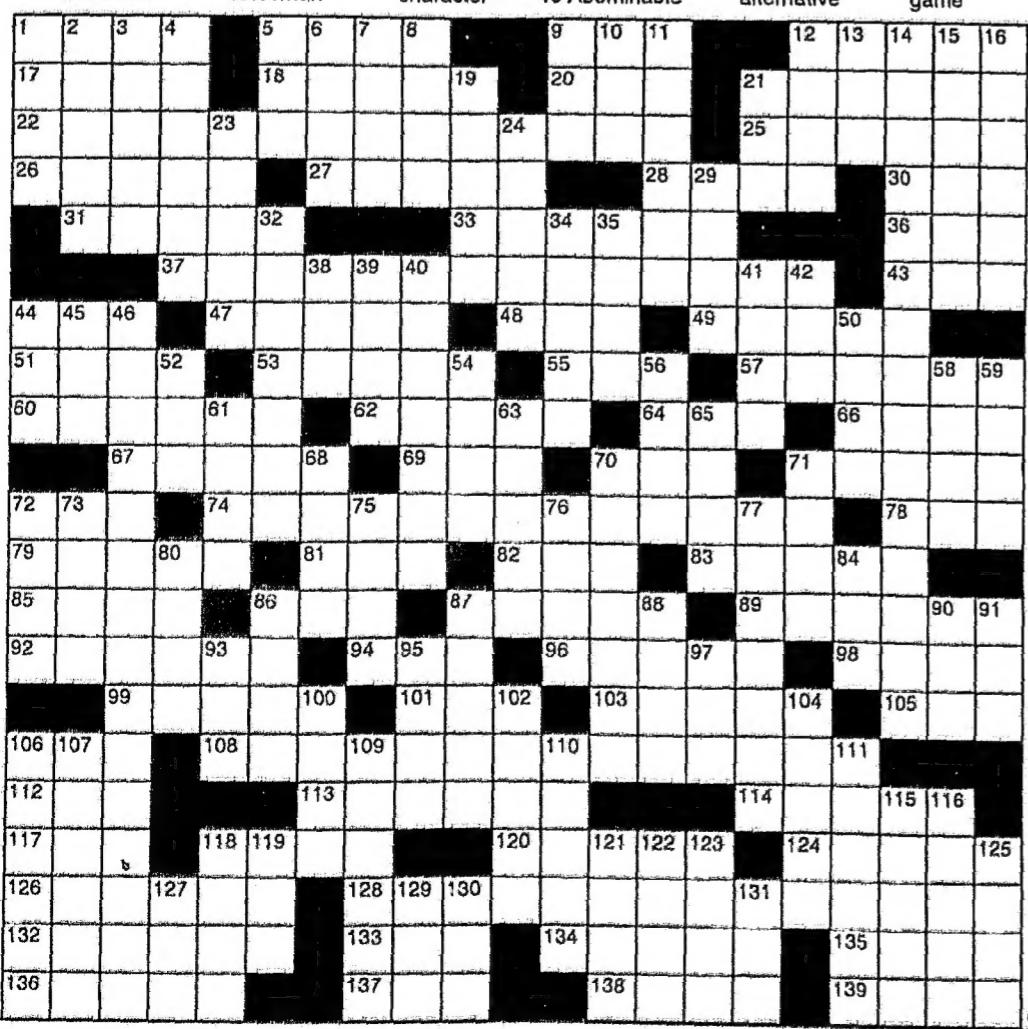
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**Parade**

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him, with a focus on their ability to learn music quickly and well, how personable they were and their interest in participating," said Linda Gamble, Kelsey's mother.

Kelsey said she is excited, "but I'm bit nervous about singing the high notes that are in the music first thing in the morning."

"It'll be interesting to meet new people from all over the country who have vocal experience too. I'll be spending all of December learning the music for the parade. We can't have our music on the float."

"I still can't believe that I'm going to sing at Disneyland," she said. "I've gone there about every other year since I was about three, and always wondered what it would be like to be on their stage."

**Club and organizational news, photos**

The Citizen welcomes news items and photographs from local clubs and organizations.

The deadline for clubs and organizational items is noon Monday, but earlier submission is appreciated.

All news articles should be typed or printed legibly, and include the name and daytime telephone number of a contact person.

**Photos:** When submitting photographs, please identify the nature and date of the activity, the names of everyone shown in the photograph, and the name of the photographer. Please also provide the name and telephone number of a contact person.

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**The Way I See It**

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department



A recent article in the newspaper had the headline, "sense of smell stronger than we thought."

The test to prove this point was done by the University of California-Berkeley with a group of undergraduate students. The student was placed in a field blindfolded and with sound-muffling headphones on. Their task was to crawl around following a chocolate perfume scent. They did exceptionally well according to the testers.

Now, isn't that amazing? Any self-respecting chocoholic could have told them what the results would be. For many of us, being blindfolded and incapacitated by anything short of a coma would not prevent us from following a chocolate scent.

In fact, I think that right now I can smell the aroma of that luscious confection coming from kitchens all over the country.

Great and some not so great cooks all over America are creating Christmas chocolates, cookies and fudge even as I write.

I think chocolate fudge is one of the most popular candies made and consumed at Christmas. I usually make at least one batch for the holidays. I'm quite well known in my circle of family and friends for my fudge disasters.

I'm a good cook; I really am, but the perfect fudge has alluded me for years. Sometimes I make spoon

fudge that won't harden no matter what and sometimes I make concrete fudge that is solid as a rock before I even get it in the pan. And, once in a great while I make fudge that comes out okay, though not perfect.

**Any self-respecting chocoholic could have told them what the results would be.**

But, that really doesn't matter because while I'm making the disaster my house fills with the aroma of melted chocolate. And for me, my entire memory bank of Christmases past is based on the wonderful scents of the season and melted chocolate is but one of them.

When I put my Christmas tree up this past weekend the scent of fresh cut spruce filled my living room and immediately transported me back to trees of my childhood. My father had a knack for picking Charlie Brown Christmas trees from the side of the road. An act that would get him a big fine nowadays, but back then no one paid much attention as long as you didn't chop one down from someone's front yard.

So, I grew up with some pretty pathetic Christmas trees, but to me they were all beautiful and the smell was as strong as it would be from a perfect cultivation.

I don't remember many of the presents I received from under those sad little

*Merry Christmas.*

**Smith**

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penalty of six months in jail and a fine, he said. The charges related to general animal care issues, he said.

In addition to those charges, on Dec. 8 Smith received another summons for allegedly not caring sufficiently for a Belgian foal born that day.

Whittier said last week he is concerned about the publicity and public sentiment surrounding the December and August incidents, and wants his client's side of the story to be heard.

"I can't let Larry get run out of town about this," he said.

The most recent charge against Smith appeared last week in The Citizen, and the earlier ones appeared in August.

Fraser and McCormick said they do not wish to provide more details on the incidents beyond what is contained in the public police report, because Smith's case is still pending in court.

**Dec. 8 summons**

According to the Dec. 8 incident report in the Bethel Police log, McCormick was called to Smith's Vernon Street pasture at 11:40 a.m. for a report of a newborn foal lying in the snow. It was believed to have been born at about 10 a.m.

According to McCormick's description, the foal was standing when he arrived. A police officer at the scene said the foal had nursed from its mother.

A witness said the animal was wet, and if it did not have shelter soon it could die.

McCormick wrote that from his position on the road, he could not determine the foal's health, or if it was in distress. The temperature was reportedly 20 degrees with a wind chill of 0. Smith could not be reached, McCormick wrote.

Animal Welfare was notified and updated through the day regarding the foal's condition. After what the report said were numerous attempts to locate Smith, it was decided at 4:30 p.m. that the foal was in immediate danger.

At 7:30 p.m., McCormick served a search warrant on Smith, who had returned, for the foal and mother as evidence in the case.

According to the report, the temperature then was 0 degrees with a wind chill of -10. The animals were removed to a barn on another property.

"The foal's body temperature was below normal, and if left outside in the cold would not have survived," wrote McCormick.

Smith was then given a summons for animal cruelty.

Whittier takes issue with the handling of the situation, noting Fraser did not go to Smith's property herself.

"They overreacted. They didn't give us a chance to fix something, if they really thought it needed fixing," he said. "They took the horses before he had a chance to do anything."

Whittier said Smith had been away in New Hampshire for the day, and was gone about 10 hours. Smith did not expect the foal to be born that soon, Whittier said.

Fraser said Monday that the horses were taken because they had been treated cruelly, having not been provided with adequate shelter and medical care.

She said many factors had been considered in making the decision to seize them. "It was clearly a life-threatening situation," she said.

Whittier claims Fraser overstated the horses' situation.

He said that according to Smith, the mare had had access to both a barn and a smaller shelter, but chose instead to

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**From the Bethel Police Log:**

Wednesday, Dec. 20

**At 1:48 a.m.** on the West Bethel Road Officer Travis Fillmore arrested William J. Murray, 38, of Pembroke for operating after suspension.

Monday, Dec. 18

**At 3:40 a.m.** Officer Travis Fillmore responded to a residence for a 911 hangup call. No one was home, and the call was believed to be a phone line malfunction.

**At 4:40 p.m.** Officer Mac McCormick responded to the Mayville Road for a car-deer accident. There was no damage to the vehicle.

**At 7:50 p.m.** Officer Mac McCormick took a report of telephone harassment.

Sunday, Dec. 17

**At 10:35 p.m.** Lt. S.R. White responded to a business alarm. It was found an employee had reset the alarm.

Saturday, Dec. 16

**At 5:28 a.m.** Officer Mac McCormick responded to Main Street for a business alarm. The building was secure.

Friday, Dec. 15

**At 2:45 a.m.** on the West Bethel Road Lt. S.R. White arrested Brandon Palmer, 24, of Bethel on warrants.

**At 4 p.m.** Officer Travis Fillmore responded to a residence for a 911 hangup call. No one appeared to be home, and nothing was out of order.

**At 4:15 p.m.** Officer Travis Fillmore assisted a county deputy with a domestic assault incident on the Sunday River Road.

Thursday, Dec. 14

**At 2:40 p.m.** Chief Alan Carr took a report of telephone harassment.

Wednesday, Dec. 13

**At 12:15 p.m.** Officer Phil Taylor took a harassment report.

Tuesday, Dec. 12

**At 4:15 p.m.** Officer Jack Taylor took a report of an iPod stolen from a Church Street location.

Monday, Dec. 11

**At 3 p.m.** Officer Mac McCormick responded to Vernon Street for a report of a horse that sounded like it was in distress. On arrival the officer could not see the animal but could hear it in a barn. The animal did not sound in distress, but rather that it wanted to get out of the barn. An attempt to locate the owner was unsuccessful. The officer cleared.

**At 3:12 p.m.** Officer Phil Taylor responded to the East Bethel Road for a two-vehicle property-damage accident.

*This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of police activity, such as routine speeding tickets and other civil violations. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.*

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**BETHEL OFFICER GRADUATES**—Officer T.J. Reese (second from left) graduated Friday from the Maine Criminal Justice Academy in Vassalboro. Reese was among 59 graduates who completed 18 weeks of study and training. Among the training topics were criminal and traffic law, domestic violence, firearms, first aid, crime scene processing, sexual assault and emergency vehicle operation. Reese received a special award for being the best in the class in emergency vehicle operation (driving a cruiser through an obstacle course). Bethel's other three full-time officers, who are also criminal justice academy graduates, are shown here with Reese after the ceremony. They are, from left: Lt. S.R. White, Officer Mac McCormick and Chief Alan Carr. It is believed this is the first time in department history that all four full-time officers are police academy grads, Town Manager Scott Cole said.

## Bethel



by Virginia Keniston

Tim and Lynn Hutchins of Old Orchard, formerly of Bethel, are proud to announce the birth of a grandson born to Katie and Earl Kimball.

Tom and Dawn Giroux have left for Myrtle Beach for three months.

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met at the Bethel Inn for a noon meal for their Christmas party. Gene Tanguay dressed in his funster costume and played Santa. The banjo group played, and there was exchange of gifts. New officers were announced as follows: Nancy Messer, president; Arlene Lowell, secretary and Jane Hosterman, treasurer.

Cass and Cass Dyer of Eanger visited Sally and Paul Lowell on the weekend.

Tuesday, the 12th, a dinner was served to area senior citizens by the Bethel Rotary Club at the Locke Mills Legion Hall. There was a large attendance. The banjo band entertained and gifts were given each of the seniors.

Sharon Kaiser and her mother Dot York, Becky Kendall, Sandra Savage, Barbara Patterson, Dot Bartlett, Arlene Lowell, Polly Davis, Eleanor

Jodrey, Dorothy Cushman, Sonny and Bettyann Hastings, Martha Stowell, Sara Carson all enjoyed a trip to see the Radio City Rockettes at the Wang Theater in Boston on the 8th.

Bob and I are proud to announce a new great-grandson born Dec. 15 to Heath and Karolanne Keniston in Meridith, N.H., named Samuel Scott.

Edie and Charlie Seashore of Columbia, Md., will be arriving on Wednesday for the holidays. Kimberley from California with her family and Becky Lee and her family from Connecticut will join them with five grandchildren.

Emily Berce is leaving on Sunday for a vacation with her family in Wisconsin.

December birthdays are: Musa Brown (5th), Jane Young (8th), Alberta Merrill (13th), Mary Paine (14th), Danina Brown and Vicki Myers (18th), Sarah Stevens (23rd), Brian Hanscom (26th), Edna York (27th), Shirley Powell and Bill Cousins (28th), Frank Lowell (30th).

A public installation was held on Thursday evening at Bethel Masonic Lodge 97 with a delicious dinner enjoyed by members and guests.

Kate and Nate Wight hosted a gathering at their home in Bolsters Mills on Saturday to celebrate her mother's birthday. Attending were Danna and George Nickerson, Arlene Brown, Bessie Bennett, and Randy Bennett.

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I expect that everyone out there is busy with shopping, writing cards, wrapping gifts, baking goodies, and making other holiday preparations. We here at the Hoheshead are similarly occupied. As a result, I find I have very little real news to report. Regrettably, it looks as if our Christmas will be gray-green, instead of white, owing to the April weather we've been having. Lucky you, if you prefer warm to winter.

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## Area Christmas Services

### Bethel

**Bethel Methodist**—Dec. 24: Regular morning worship, 10 a.m.; Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, 6 p.m.

**Bethel Alliance/Bethel Nazarene**—Dec. 24: Joint Candlelight Service, 7 p.m., at Bethel Alliance Church.

**West Bethel Union Church**—Dec. 23: Candlelight Christmas Service at 7 p.m. Nesta Littlefield will be at the organ with the choir presenting several anthems. The congregation will join in with the singing of several Christmas carols. Rev. Bell will share some stories about Christ-mas during the service.

**West Parish Congregational Church, UCC**—Dec. 24: Fourth Sunday of Advent, 10 a.m.; Candlelight Service of lessons and carols, 7 p.m. Dec. 31: Carol sing, 10 a.m., with guest preacher Jim Chandler; New Year's Eve worship, 4 p.m., led by the Rev. Gwyneth Bohr of Episcopal House Church.

### Newry

**Sunday River Christian Ministry**—Dec. 24: Interdenominational candlelight service, 7:30 p.m., with Rev. Don Coverdale leading in praise, prayer and peace, and the voice of Cynthia Libby. Service will take place in front of the fireplace on the third floor, Barker Base Lodge, at Sunday River Ski Resort. FMI 824-5896.

### Andover

**Calvary Congregational**—Dec. 24: Regular morning service, 10:45 a.m.; Candlelight Service, with music and scripture readings, 6 to 7 p.m.

### North Waterford

**North Waterford Congregational**—Dec. 24: Sunday worship service at 10 a.m.; Candlelight Service at 5 p.m.

### Woodstock

**Bryant Pond Baptist**—Dec. 24: Candlelight Service at 6 p.m.

### West Paris

**West Paris Congregational**—Dec. 24: Christmas Eve Service, 5 p.m.

**West Paris Universalist**—Dec. 24: Christmas Eve Service, 6 p.m.

**West Paris Baptist**—Dec. 24: Christmas Eve Service, 7 p.m.

### Norway

**Christ Episcopal**—Dec. 24: Holy Communion and Choir, 9 a.m.; Christmas Eve Communion, 4 p.m., with Creche furnished by all children, children's sermon; Special music and Carols, 9:30 p.m.; Christmas Communion, Choir, followed by hot cider & cookies, 10 p.m. Dec. 25: Christmas Communion, 9 a.m. Dec. 31: Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Festival of Christmas Lessons and Music, 10 a.m., with Christmas readings, carols and anthems (Communion available afterward). FMI 743-6782; 35 Paris Street.

an, Kris Holloway, who spent two years as a Peace Corps volunteer, working and learning with Monique, while at the same time, forming a remarkable friendship with her.

I found myself moved to tears more often than not as I learned of how little the people of Namposella have, and how harsh their lives are, and how grateful they are for things we take for granted. The villagers there have no electricity, running water, or sanitation, and sometimes not even clean drinking water. They have to depend on a three-month rainy season to grow all their crops and replenish their communal wells.

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Whether you celebrate Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, or some other holiday, let us join in hoping and praying for Peace on Earth, and the quick return of our brave troops to their homes for good.

May your holidays be merry, your hearts filled with gladness, and your homes replete with love.

### Gilead



by Lin Chapman

There are just a few more days before Christmas. I

finally finished my Christmas shopping this past weekend. I enjoy watching the little grandchildren when they talk about Santa. Their eyes light up and they act extra nice (for a little while).

I am a little late getting out my Christmas cards this year. Seems like there are just too

many things that need to get done. I have received a few cards, and it is so nice to hear from all these people. Hugh's sister, Mary Lou, always has a beautiful picture on her cards, and Bob and Judy Bishop's card had a picture of the Nubble Light, the lighthouse in York. Len and Alice Strait took the time to do an informative newsletter with pictures of their Gilead life and some of their granddaughter, Emmalyn, whose parents, Chip and Darla Strait, live in Aspen, Colo. I added a new name to my card list this year when I got a card from Gray and Jill Bujnowski, who also live up on Mt. Tumbledown road along with the Straits.

Hugh and I ran into Norm Buttrick and Cathy McGuire in Gorham, N.H., this past weekend.

My brother, Steve McLain, had a little help from his son, Brad, this past weekend. After they worked on the snow blower, they tackled the chimney. Brad got up on the roof to make sure that the chimney was clean. This is a great safety tip for anyone who burns wood. Check your chimney sq the GFD does not have to make a quick trip to your house.

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dum held in Gilead on Jan. 9 at the Town Hall from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

All municipalities that are within the Region 9 School of Applied Technology are required to hold this referendum.

Warrants are posted, along with a sample ballot, at the Town Hall, the Transfer Station and the office of the administrative assistant at 2007 North Road.

The article reads as follows: "Shall the Cooperative Board of Region 9 School of Applied Technology be authorized to issue bonds and other evidences of indebtedness for school construction purposes in the name of the Region in an amount not to exceed \$4,900,000 to construct and equip an addition and renovations to the Region 9 School of Applied Technology building on the site described below, and to acquire and convey such easements and other real estate interests as may be required for the project?" This article is followed by parts A-D that explain the components, sites and bond assistance from the state.

The site is the existing site of Region 9 and the other real estate interests is adjoining land.

All the municipalities that are included in Region 9 get a chance to vote, since it will have an effect on their taxes.

#### Planning Board

The January meeting of the Planning Board will be held on Jan. 4 at 7 p.m. at the Gildead Municipal Building/Fire Station.

#### Selectmen's Meeting

The next regular meeting of the board of selectmen will take place on Jan. 10 at 7 p.m. at the Municipal Building/Fire Station.

#### Gilead Historical Society

The Town Hall looks very nice with the big wreath up over the door. Thanks to Amber Brooke and Audrey Brooke who made the wreath for us.

The payments of dues are starting to come in. The newest members are Gray and Jill Bujnowski.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com.

#### Andover



by Melinda Averill

The East Andover Community Club held their Christmas party and meeting on Dec. 11 at the home of Cookie Thew. A delicious buffet was enjoyed and secret pal gifts were exchanged. The club voted to give a donation to Families in Crisis. Two new officers were elected: Sandy Wainwright as treasurer, replacing Violet Swain, and Cookie Thew as Secretary, replacing Lorena Simmons. All of the other officers remain the same as past years. All members except for Violet Swain and one guest were present. A sunshine basket was packed for Violet, along with an appreciation plate for her many years of service to the club. She has been a member since the club was organized in 1938.

Family members of the Swains called Robert and Violet and visited this past week. They heard from Korea, Missouri, New York, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Kentucky, California, Vermont and Maine. It was Violet's 88th birthday. Robert J. II is due from Korea in a few days.

The Andover food pantry would like to thank Sunday River food services for their donation of turkeys. It will enable the pantry to provide eight more families with Christmas dinner.

Congratulations to the following for making the honor roll at Mountain Valley Middle School for the first trimester: Izaak Mills and Erich Zurhorst, seventh grade.

Karen McKay and Bev Swan made a visit last weekend to Bev's sister's, Julie Gribon, in Doyleston, Pa. Julie is recovering nicely from recent knee surgery.

The town office will be closed on Monday, Dec. 25, and Tuesday, Dec. 26.

Peg and I shopped in Portland on Tuesday. We met up with our brother, Chris, for lunch at a new place behind the mall, called Seabago; it was very good. I would recommend it.



CHRISTMAS FOR FAMILIES COLLECTION—Barry Hallett (second from left) of the Funky Red Barn in Bethel served patrons a buffet-style meal in exchange for a child's gift or cash donation for Christmas for Families. Pictured are some of the items collected.

Happy birthday today to James Farrington, and to Cody Smith on Saturday.

On Sunday, Dec. 24, at the morning service Jane will be baptizing Adam Jerry Gammon, son of Adam and Stephannie Gammon.

Have a Merry Christmas!

Folks have enjoyed watching them as they swim along the shore looking for food.

Christmas is just days away now and most folks have finished up their preparations for the big holiday. No doubt there are a few who like to do it all the last minute. It's more fun that way.

Each year we make our personal pick for the best light displays around town. Some of the more impressive ones are Bill and Barbara Gross with lights on their new house and the old farmhouse of the Rodways. But — the one we like the best is an elaborate display of lights and air figures on the Ellis River Road.

We wish everyone the very best of holidays with peace, rest and lots of excitement for the little people.

**Hanover**



by Clem Worcester

Last Saturday Melburn (Chink) Hutchins celebrated his 80th birthday with

many friends and relatives at the Maine Veterans' Home in South Paris. A good-sized crowd of folks turned out to wish him the best of birthdays. A special treat was entertainment by "Cack" Bean who played his dobro guitar and sang Christmas and other songs. Along with the great food items and four birthday cakes it was a good day for Chink, Rose and all those who stopped by.

A group of six to eight Canada geese have adopted Howard Pond for now. Probably, if the pond freezes over they will move further south. Local

folks have enjoyed watching them as they swim along the shore looking for food.

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#### Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

Holiday greetings and best wishes for a great beginning, middle and end of the New Year 2007. The deer count at BRTP for 2006 was 125 animals tagged.

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**A TASTE OF CHRISTMAS**—There may not be any snow so far this Christmas season, but holiday treats are appearing everywhere. Beverly Sylvester and Matt Clark of the Sudbury Inn created a gingerbread house (right). And at Gould Academy, children of staff members came up with their own gingerbread creations. Above, Lilo Libby-Bean and her mother, Brooke Libby, work on theirs.



la visited David and Joanne Tamminen in Yarmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Smith of Surry; Mr. and Mrs. Rick Merrill and children, Katie and Taylor, of Andover; Wilma Bean; Stacy Coolidge and child, Gabe, of Andover; Gloria Crockett; Esther Fuller of Greenwood; Dori Hallman of Durham visited Arlene Harrington on Dec. 17 for an exchange of gifts.

Millie Jackson attended the Rotary's Christmas dinner for Senior Citizens on Dec. 12. On Dec. 16, Millie had a Christmas dinner in Waterville and on Dec. 17 she had dinner with Carol and Robert Everett in West Bethel. On Dec. 18, Millie and Sandra Gunther had a Christmas dinner at the Subway in Norway/South Paris.

As a lot of people know, my youngest brother, John, had a lung transplant. On Dec. 8, he had open-heart surgery to replace a damaged valve and repair one. He is now doing very well and hopes he can get back

to Maine soon.

Earl and Mona Coolidge have moved into their new home. Everything was ready to go on Dec. 15.

Alder River Grange will try for a meeting on Dec. 22, with a 6:30 p.m. potluck supper and the meeting at 7:30 p.m. at Lynn Mason-Courtney's home, #1 at Sudbury Village. Please bring something for the Food Pantry.

I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas. God Bless the Troops.

### Mason



by Richard Grover

Did you ever have one of those weeks where you just couldn't seem to get anything done right? Last week was one of those for me. We've been having trouble with one of our toilet tanks

continually running through. I've replaced flapper valves and filler pipes before, and always something wasn't quite right. Last week I replaced the filler valve again, and this one has a feature called a "leak sentry." What it does is hold the float valve up until the "flush" handle is tripped; this way, if water is leaking out of the tank, the float doesn't slide down to let more water in. In my tank the feature worked perfectly; shortly after I installed it, the toilet tank was bone dry. This meant that the flapper valve, which I only recently installed, was somehow leaking through, but fortunately not onto the floor. This means that to use this toilet we have to flush it twice, once to let the float valve open, and again after the tank is full and before it empties out again.

Puzzled, I phoned Chris Merrill to see if he had access to a better system. He explained that sometimes those plastic flapper systems can crack if you tighten them too tightly into the bottom of the tank; this lets the water leak out into the bowl undetected.

In tinkering with the toilet, I discovered that the water pump started and would not shut off until we unplugged it, an inconvenient system, to say the least. After unsuccessfully tinkering with the pump, I again talked to Chris. We discussed getting a "rebuild kit" to repair the pump; then I said I thought I needed a new pressure tank due to corrosion of the old one. After I confessed that the old system was 17 years old, Chris recommended a whole new system.

I spent much of Saturday installing the new pump and tank, and now I have two or three fittings that leak! Not badly, but occasional drips that dampen a place on the floor. I resolve to re-connect the fittings, this time with more teflon thread tape, but not until after I recover from the first effort. I hate plumbing!

### Mason Kids

By Coulton Williams

Curtis' dad (Lawrence Grover) is building him an outdoor ice rink. Let's hope some cold weather comes. Isn't it a bummer there is no snow and

it is almost Christmas? Last weekend there was one good skating night down on Elsie's pond. Then it got too warm, and it melted a little so we cannot skate.

There was a Christmas celebration at the West Bethel Union Church on Dec. 9. Jessica, Coulton and Madeline, along with several of Rupert and Ina and Verna's great-grandchildren attended.

We ate, decorated the tree, sang songs and then Santa visited. There are four more days till Christmas!

be, because she appears many years younger than "Blank-Blank."

The snow hardly exists and temperatures are way out of line. Fifty degrees and no snow in December is a no-no. Obviously nobody is thinking snow. The birds hardly need to visit the feeders.

There is a female cardinal visiting on East "B" Hill. Sue and Dick Angevine say she is prettier than the male.

The Jenkins Ladies Aid Christmas Party was better than ever. The children all knew their duty to do a presentation and they did with enthusiasm.

Partaking in the Christmas presentation was little Abby Chapman singing Jingle Bells. Caleb Chapman and Eliissa Dyer did their little Jenkins Fund presentation together. Eliissa and Jordan also joined together to do a reading. Jordan and Jessica played the flute, Caitlyn played the lap harp. Jennifer Aldrich, always a favorite, played the flute also. Her brother, Tyler, entertained on the saxophone. Everyone deserves a big round of applause for bringing Christmas cheer to the fifty or so people present.

### Upton



by  
Eleanor  
LeComte  
Merry Christ-  
mas! May Santa  
fulfill your  
wildest expecta-  
tions!

The pictures in the Bethel Citizen on the teas, fairs and the Taste of Bethel were wonderful. The wreaths were outstanding, the bids were high and they were worth it.

Happy Birthday to Sue Angevine, a very nice lady. She is proud of her age, as she should

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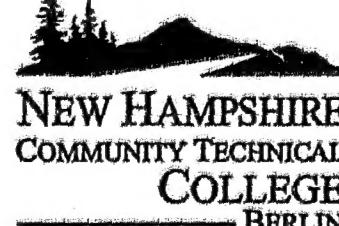
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## The Bethel Citizen

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Congratulations are in order for the members of the Ladies Aid who worked for many months to make it a success. Simone Lavallee, Sue Angevine, Amber Brooke, Jerry Kenney, Debbie Judkins and others did a fine job. Ginny Williamson helped with a lot of projects also. Amber Brooke called the Bingo game. Jerry Kenney, as always, was a great emcee. Upton should be proud of these ladies for carrying on the Sprit of the Jenkins Fund Christmas Party.

We were all saddened by the death of a dear friend, Sally Lavallee. Sally was a lady, respected and loved by all. Larry, her husband, is to be commended for the tender loving care that he gave her.

We wish everyone Happy Holidays. The "Bird of the Week" is on vacation Down South.

### Bryant Pond



by  
Alice Hoyt

Judith Grover Tent 17  
Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War

met at the home of Alice Hoyt on Monday, Dec. 11, with ten members present.

Second nomination of officers was held; president, Elsie Bonney; senior vice president, Michelle Cary; junior vice president, Amanda Jordan; chaplain, Elena Noyes; treasurer, Alice Hoyt; council members: Marybeth Hoover (#1), Elizabeth Hoover (#2), Helvi Cary (#3); patriotic instructor, Sally Sawyer. Installation of officers will be held on Jan. 8.

It was voted to pay the bills and to put on the Senior Citizens dinner in April. Report

of the five new candidates was given by the Investigation Committee.

A.J. Cary received the mystery package. Communications were: Christmas card from some members with dues and receipt for money sent to Togus and card from Elizabeth Crockett Blake Tent 8. Thirty-two calls were reported. An exchange of gifts and tasting party followed.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30, choir practice at 5 p.m., evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening is prayer meeting at 6:30 and Thursday morning at 9:30 is Ladies Bible Study.

The Bethel Rotary put on a delicious ham dinner for senior citizens from SAD44 on Tuesday, Dec. 12.

A big crowd attended. Many thanks go to them for this. There was also music and gifts for everyone.

Clarabelle Poland gave a picture of an old schoolhouse in Perkins Valley to the Historical Society. Thank you.

The American Legion held a delicious boiled dinner and had their Christmas party on the evening of Dec. 14.

#### Historical Society

At the December meeting of the Historical Society the members enjoyed a potluck supper and Christmas party. Supper dishes ranged from clam casserole to pumpkin pie. Exchange of gifts and a short meeting was held, chaired by Elaine Roberts.

Curator Larry Billings provided decorations, a small manger set and a Merry Christmas sign. Members planned to get T-shirts to sell for next summer.

Thanks to Ruth Cox for doing the mystery package each meeting. President Elaine

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**SUCCESSFUL FUNDRAISER**—The Student Leadership Group at Telstar Middle School recently sponsored a school Spirit Week, which included fundraising for the Christmas for Children charity, sponsored by the Bethel Rotary Club. Through the course of a friendly competition among advisory groups, staff and students raised a total of \$842.51 for this cause. Group members pictured are, from left: Charlie Lang, Abbie Goldberg, Jannell Penley, Dylan Coolidge, Tobias Francis, Cynthia Moran Laux, Back: Melissa Prescott, Kate Slattery, Ethan Phelps, James Carter, Taylor Kelley, Molly Siegal, Justyne Myers, Emma Davis, Jamie Steven, Echo Hoyt, Emily Bellinger, Samantha Southam, Jean Lawrence, guidance counselor Joe Bailey. A cookie walk at Gould Academy raised \$857 recently. Other area schools, municipal and civic organizations, businesses and individuals have also contributed to the fund.

(Photo: A. Alvarado)

Roberts does a good job running the meetings. The curator often sends her things he gets in the mail.

Both Mary Billings and Anna Burnham enjoyed having the members from the Baptist Church sing carols to them.

They both mentioned it at the society meeting. Mary gets the key from the society to meet at the Town Conference Room. Much thanks.

Curator Larry enjoyed watching the program on Home and Garden network on decorating the White House. Most people decorate on a far more modest scale, but it is still fun to do.

Christmas decorations are real reasonable at the Village Hardware in West Paris. Larry got some there.

A very Merry Christmas everyone!

### South Woodstock



by  
Andrea Wing

Hearfelt sympathy goes out to the family and friends of

Georgine Thayer who died this past week at the home of her daugh-

ter, Beverly Stevens. Georgine had lived with her daughter's family for several years. She was a very kind and loving person. Besides her daughter, she leaves several grandchildren and family members. She will be missed.

I received a nice Christmas letter from my niece, Beverly Dayton, and family. Beverly comes from this area but has lived in the South for many

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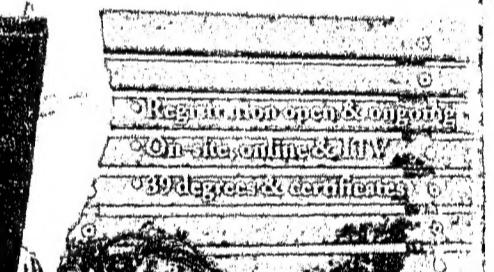
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years. She sent pictures of her family; they are a very nice-looking group.

Joe Pete Appleby stopped by for a visit one afternoon this week.

Happy Birthday to James Dunn who celebrates his day Dec. 19.

My cat, Suzi, has asthma and this week had a bad attack and was very sick. I immediately took her to the vet in South Paris, where they kept her overnight. She now has to have medicine more times a day than before. She is getting better already.

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society, reports that they held a potluck supper and Christmas party for the month of December. The food and gifts both covered a wide variety of things. Curator Billings brought a manger scene and "Merry Christmas" sign as decorations.

There's not a lot of news this week; everyone is busy getting ready for Christmas.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to everyone.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that nothing is more responsible for the good old days than a bad memory."

## West Paris

by Joyce Lamb

The weather has been warmer the last few days. There is a bit of snow

around the edges of the road and driveway. But will we have a white Christmas?

Daughter Wendy will fly into Portland on Sunday evening. She leaves Portland, Ore., in the early morning and flies to Portland, Maine, by evening. It takes the whole day to go across the country. She will be here for two weeks. It will be cold for her for they have very little snow or freezing temperatures.

On Sunday evening the Universalist Church had a successful supper with about fifty people present. After singing Christmas carols Santa came

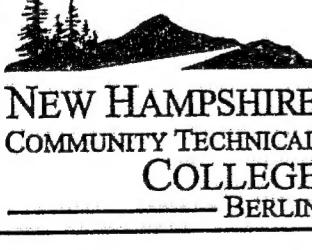
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to talk with the little ones. Two of the youngest wanted nothing to do with the man in the red suit. Others sat on Santa's knee to tell him all their wishes for the big day. It was a joyful evening for the children as well as grandparents and great-grandparents.

Lee Dean is at Ledgeview Nursing Home for therapy to regain her strength to be able to return home.

On Dec. 24 there will be no church service at the West Paris Universalist Church at 9 a.m. There will be a Candlelight Service led by Joe Perham in the evening at 6 p.m. All are invited to join in this special service.

Beverly Stevens and I were in Oxford to buy flannel to finish making the last of the Christmas presents. When I get my pillowcases finished all will be ready for the big day. Merry Christmas to all!

## Waterford



by Rockie Graham

It is beyond mid-December, and it is still reasonably warm.

In fact, some days, when the sun shines, it is positively balmy. This is hardly the weather I remember before Christmas. I remember years with no snow, but they always had cold, crisp days and nights. Is global warming really here? Maybe this is the proof everyone has been denying.

Saw some great lights last night on Chabourne Street. There were several scenes and lots of people and snowmen visible. It wasn't like the Auburn place where there were mobs of people; it was just a beautiful display. Thank you Morin's.

Danny and Carrie Hart had a new baby last week. Gracie is her name. We hope to see her soon. Congratulations Dan and Carrie!

We finally found a new dentist that we like. We saw Dr. Lee at Crossway Dental in Paris. They were very nice to us and even began David on his new teeth. It was a great

Our very best prayers and wishes for a Merry Christmas filled with love and joy for a most joyous holiday.

God Bless and Keep!

From  
**Bethel Senior Citizens**

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met at The Bethel Inn Dec. 13 for their Christmas Party and dinner with 50 members and guests present. President Nancy Mercer conducted the meeting and led the salute to the flag.

Reports were given by Jane Hosterman and Arlene Lowell. Cecile Lescault of the nom-

inating committee presented the following slate of officers:

president, Nancy Mercer; vice president, Musa Brown; treasurer, Jane Hosterman; assistant treasurer, Barbara Mahler; and secretary, Arlene Lowell.

Thanks go to the committee, Rosabelle Tiffet, Dot York and Mary Paine for organizing the Christmas Party.

The entertainment was The Yet To Be Named Banjo Band.

Santa with elves Rosabelle Tiffet and Arlene Lowell distributed gifts to members and their guests.

The next meeting will be Jan. 10 at The Sudbury Inn.

Meeting will start at 11 a.m.

The dinner menu is fish and

the price is \$7.50. Singer Del Parker will be the entertainment.

Members planning to attend call Nancy Mercer at 824-3350

or Arlene Lowell at 824-2877 before Jan. 5, as reservations are necessary.

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December birthdays are:

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al Christmas songs of that era. Everyone left that evening feeling glad they had come.

From

O.C.R.S.W.C.

During the month of November, Oxford County Recyclable Solid Waste Corporation (OCSRWC) processed the following:

Shipped 117 tons of material at an estimated sale value of \$8,000.

Estimated cost to trash the same 117 tons material — \$9,945 (based on average tipping and hauling fee of \$85 per ton).

Estimated avoided cost for November — \$18,025.

Recycled 117 tons or 284,000 pounds of material.

Recycled 117 tons of paper product saving 1,989 trees. It takes 17 average sized trees to make one ton of paper.

Shipped 51.34 tons of corrugated cardboard with an estimated sale value of \$3,298.

Shipped 65.66 tons of newspapers, magazines and junk mail with an estimated sale value of \$4,782.

Congratulations to the following recycling teams:

Tri-Town for packing six out of six cardboard containers weighing in at over 1,000 pounds each.

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Greenwood/Woodstock for packing five out of five cardboard containers weighing in at over 1,000 pounds each.

West Paris for packing four out of five cardboard containers weighing in at over 1,000 pounds and Gould Academy for packing one out of one cardboard container weighing in at over 1,000 pounds.

Packing cardboard containers with over 1,000 pounds is time consuming. Hauling a fully loaded container to the recycling plant in Norway/Paris is cost efficient for the Corporation. We appreciate your efforts.

As the figures show, recycling does pay. Thank you for participation.

From  
Oxford County  
Democrats

The Oxford County Democrats held their annual Holiday Party and Volunteer Recognition Dinner at the Rumford Eagles Hall on Thursday, Dec. 14, with Governor John E. Baldacci attending to thank the many area volunteers that worked so hard for his re-election.

Also in attendance were Maine Democratic Party Chair Ben Dudley, Party Vice-chair Marianne Stevens, Jess Knox, chair of the Democrat's Coordinated Campaign, former House Assistant Majority Leader Bob Duplessie, and Maggie Allen, executive director of the Maine Democratic Party.

Following a dinner of chicken pie and holiday desserts, Rep. John Patrick welcomed the attendees to the event and Oxford County Chair Cathy Newell recognized the individual candidates. "Our candidates are our number one volunteers," Newell stated. "The months of hard work they, and their families, put into their campaigns are really astounding."

She singled out the work of Pam Pace and Sue Waterhouse in running the Rumford Area Democratic Office, and the efforts of Jan Kubiac and Hilary Ware in the Norway Office. Newly elected office holders attending were state Senator Bruce Bryant, Rep. John Patrick, Sheriff-elect Wayne Gallant, Register of Deeds Jane Rich, and County Treasurer Mary Ann Prue. Rep. Terry Hayes noted her regrets as she was in Caribou visiting her son's school. The campaign efforts of Marge Medd, Roy Gedat, Reggie Arsenault, Marlee Turner, Kate Smith, Jim Bradley, and Wade Rainey were recognized with great appreciation by the party leaders.

### Swearing-in Ceremony

The Oxford County Democrats will host a Reception and Swearing-in Ceremony for Sheriff-elect Wayne Gallant of Rumford, County Treasurer Mary Ann Prue of Rumford, and Register of Deeds Jane

Rich of Andover at the Hotel Harris on Congress Street in Rumford on Monday, Jan. 1, at 2 p.m.

"The historic and beautifully restored Hotel Harris will provide a festive locale for the event," Oxford County Democratic Chair Cathy Newell stated. "We are pleased that Arthur and Jean Muse are making the setting available. Both the Boiler Room Restaurant and the Island Indulgence Spa will be open during the event to give attendees a good look at the new businesses the hotel has attracted to Rumford."

The Swearing-in Ceremony will include music, remarks, and the administration of the oaths of office. It will be followed by refreshments in the Boiler Room Restaurant. The event is open to county and municipal officials, and to friends and supporters of Gallant, Prue and Rich. The preliminary list of hosts for the event includes: Senator Bruce Bryant, Rep. John Patrick, Cathy Newell, Marden Seavey, Roy Gedat, and Joanne Morse.

For further information, contact Oxford County Democrats at 875-2116 or cathyn@megalink.net.

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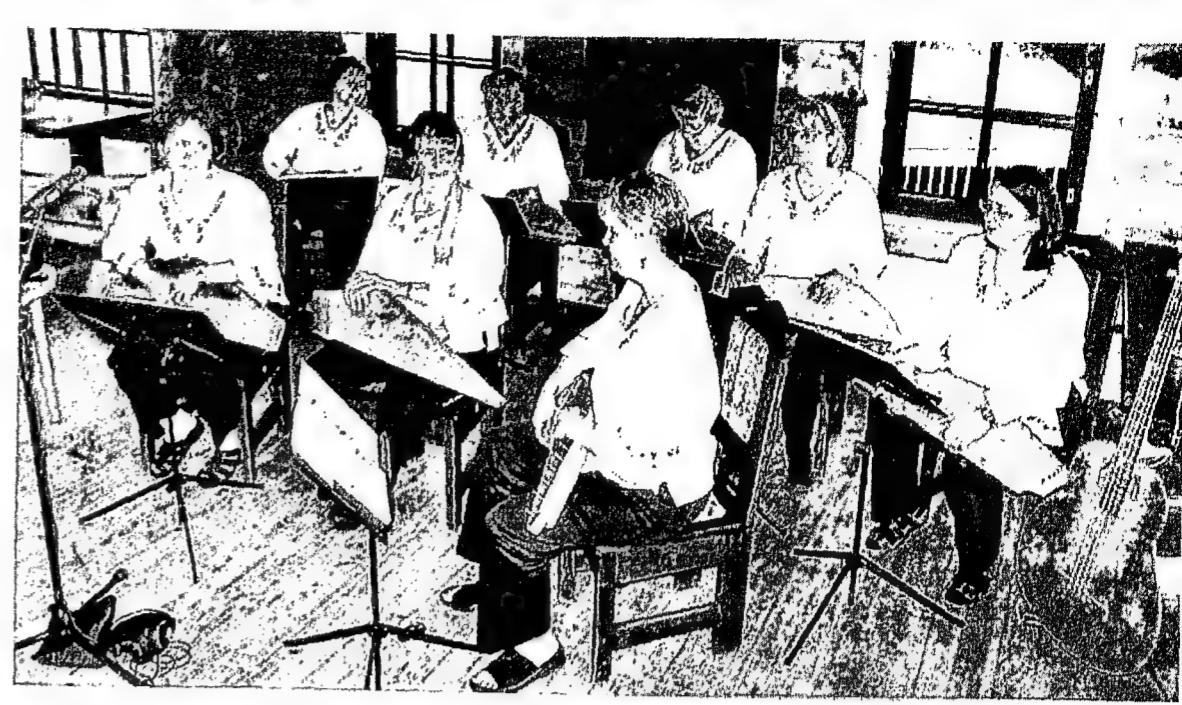
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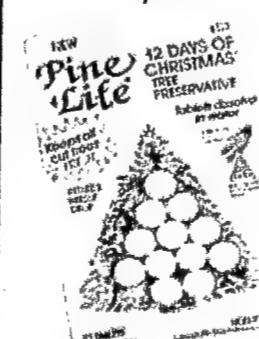
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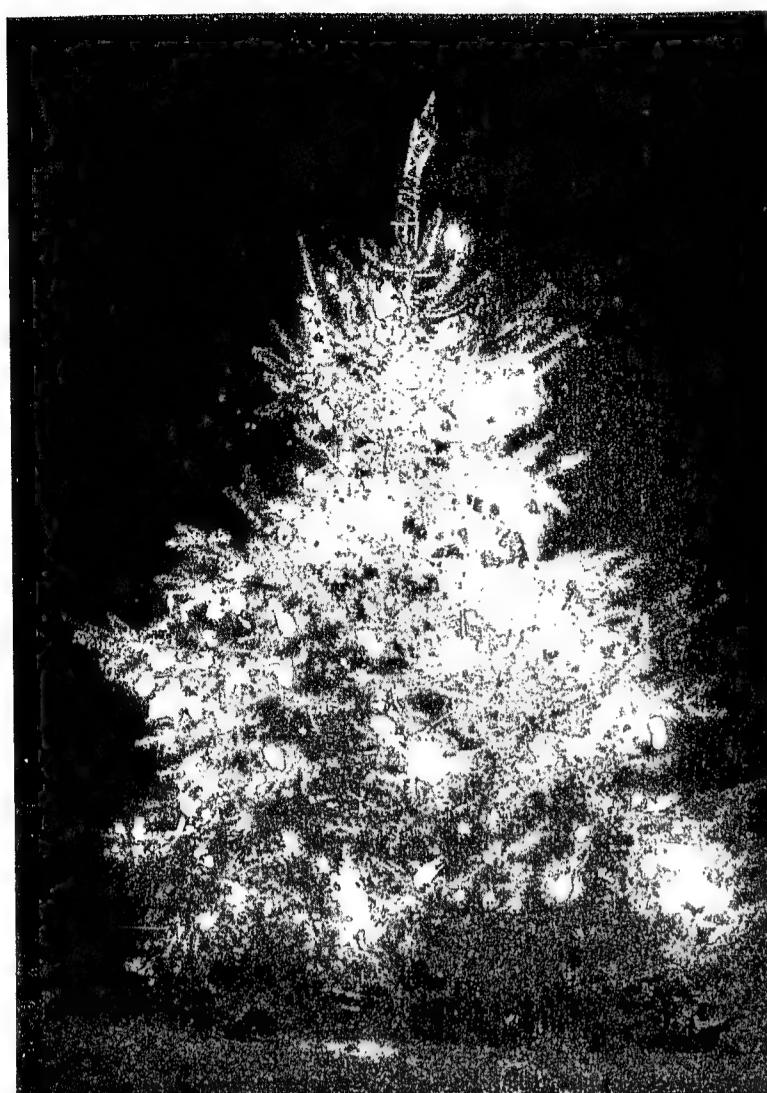
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From

#### Oxford Hills Travelers

The Oxford Hills Travelers will be attending the fabulous "Smucker's Stars on Ice" show at 7:30 p.m. at the Portland Civic Center on Saturday, March 24. The Cyr bus will leave at 4 p.m. from the old Ames Plaza and will return at 11 p.m.

The Emmy Award-Winning "Smucker's On Ice" presents "Double Exposure: The Many Lives of Figure Skaters." For the past twenty years, Olympic and figure-skating icon Scott Hamilton has thrilled audiences with Stars on Ice. This year's all-new production will be co-headlined by the world's most distinguished skating stars including 2002 Olympic Pair champions Jamie Sale and David Pelletier, Olympic Men's champion Alexei Yagudin, World Champion Todd Eldredge, Japanese Ladies' Champion Yuka Sato, British Champion Steven Cousins and Canadian Champion Jennifer Robinson plus many other stars.

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The cost of this spectacular show is \$76 per person. This includes the cost of the bus and the ticket to the show. Super will be on your own at the Maine Mall area. Please send your \$40 deposit now so as to reserve your seat. Call Pat 743-8513 to put your name on the reservation list and then send your deposit to Pat Pulkkinen, 2 Hooper Ledge Road, South Paris, ME 04281. Seating will be assigned in order of deposit received.

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# The Satellite

Newsletter of School Administrative District #44: Andover • Bethel • Greenwood • Newry • Woodstock

## SCHOOL NEWS FROM AROUND THE DISTRICT



### Students Break A World Reading Record with Charlotte's Web

On Wednesday, Dec. 13 the students and staff at Woodstock School participated in "Break A World Reading Record" with Charlotte's Web, by E. B. White. Walden Media set out to break the record for the "Most People Reading Aloud Simultaneously in Multiple Locations" by asking people to sign up and read a passage at exactly noon on Dec. 13. The last record was broken in 2004 with 155,528 people reading William Wordsworth's poem "Daffodils."

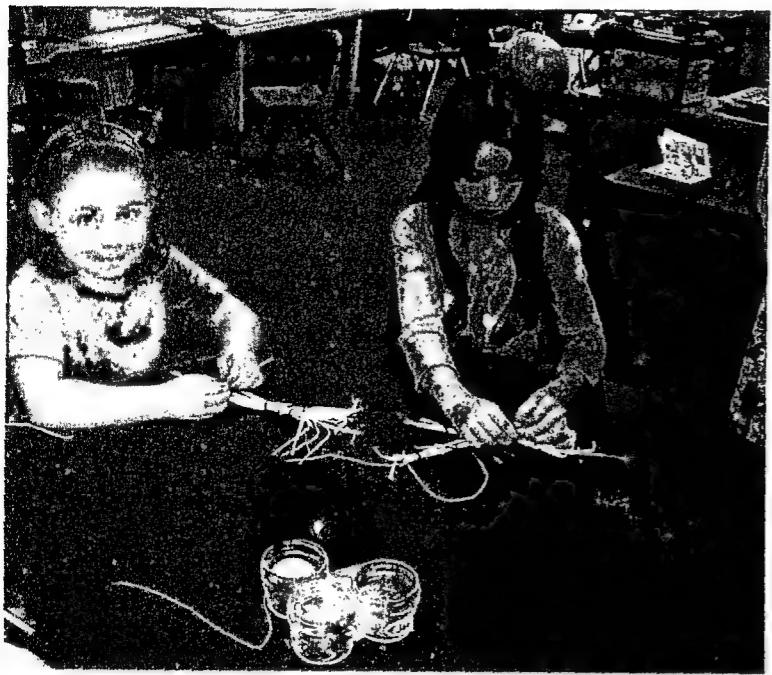
Mrs. House and Mrs. Littlehale decided to register their school and participate in the event. They had to find officials in the community to be registration and independent witnesses to certify the event was conducted correctly, and also find a lead reader for the group. Greenwood school board members J. Walter Brough and Richard Melville along with Greenwood selectmen Loretta Mikols and Wayne Hakala were kind enough to share their time as registration witnesses. Greenwood Town Manager Kim Starks and Woodstock Town Manager Vern Maxfield were also gracious enough during this busy season to be independent witnesses. Dr. David Murphy, Superintendent of MSAD44, was asked to be the lead reader because he loves to read to children.

Leading up to the event students and teachers worked on activities related to *Charlotte's Web* and practiced reading the passage. On Wednesday, the students were ready and raring to go when the clock counted down. What a

beautiful sound to hear them all reading in unison! The passage they read was filled with "expression" so it was really enjoyable to hear their voices changing with each exciting word. (Here is some of the 3-page passage, which begins on page 35. ("Salutations!" said the voice. Wilbur jumped to his feet. "Salu-what?" he cried. "Salutations!" repeated the voice. "What are they and where are you?" screamed Wilbur. "Please, please, tell me where you are. And what are salutations?")

It looks like the record might have been "SHATTERED". There were over 540,000 people participating at 2,451 sites, in 50 states and 28 countries. The Woodstock School registered 65 students and staff and was one of 10 sites in the State of Maine participating. The final verification won't come until probably February, but Walden Media is quite certain they will break the record.

To commemorate the event the Woodstock PTA is going to purchase a copy of *Charlotte's Web* for each student and put a bookplate in the front with the details. They will also get a beautiful certificate and bookmark courtesy of Walden Media. What a wonderful memory for everyone to carry with them throughout the years! A final surprise for the students came on Wednesday when Mrs. Littlehale announced to the students that they were all going to see the movie *Charlotte's Web*.



Woodstock Elementary School recently enjoyed their annual "Holidays Around the World". Students have a passport and travel to different countries (classrooms) to learn their holiday traditions. They learn the greeting for "Merry Christmas" in different languages, the countries location in the world, their flag, some folk tales or stories about their customs, taste favorite dishes, and do a craft that has some meaning to their traditions. Last year, students learned about; Sweden, Greece, France, Mexico, China, and Africa. This year, they are learning about Australia, England, Finland, Germany, Costa Rica, and Italy.

**At far Left:** First-graders Madison Hayes and Mykiah Bennet are working on a Star made of straw for Finland.

**Left:** Fourth-graders Spencer Robinson, Aislinn Forbes, Liam Gallagher, and Anne Cushman are making a snowman out of paper. Because Australia has no snow they make their snowmen out of different materials.



Andover students practice for the holiday concert, performed December 15th. Front left to right: Jacob Putnam, Natausha Cogley, Joseph Davis Back: Rebecca Morin, Jeffrey Stetson



**Left to right:** Kayla Cole, Katie Mills, Zoey Perham, Nik Conrad, and Kasey Smith display the projects they made and the costumes they wore for their presentations of The Lion, The Witch, and the Wardrobe, which they read in Mr. Emery's 5th grade language class at Andover Elementary School.



Mrs. Sabin's class has been tracking the Crescent Park Ambassador Bear to Southeast Asia as he travels with the Library of Vietnam Rotary project. The class is pictured here with Cynthia Moran as she prepares for a three-week trip to Vietnam and surrounding areas.

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# Telstar High

## School

**2006-2007**

## Basketball Teams



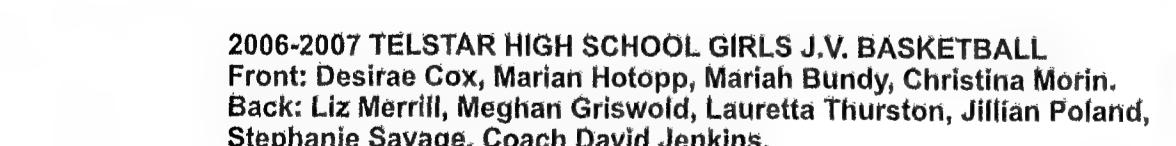
**2006-2007 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL**  
Front: Bryce Walker, Louis Thornton, Matt Zinchuk, Ryan Kimball, Max Meader, Andy Whitney. Back: Coach David Berry, Jon Sabin, James Kimball, Alex Gundersen, Gavin Broomhall, Kyle Maines, Ryan Hannigan, Coach Mark Thurlow.



**2006-2007 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL BOYS J.V. BASKETBALL**  
Front: Mike Fitzmorris, Bryce Walker, Camrin Poland, Joel Putnam, Isaac Burnham. Back: Coach Dave Berry, Jon Sabin, Ryan Philbrick, Kyle Maines, Ryan Hannigan, Gavin Broomhall, Alex Gundersen.



**2006-2007 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL**  
Front: Meghan Griswold, Abby Hutchins, Joseline Belanger, April Bolstridge, Megan Smith, Stephanie Savage, Vicki Crockett-Rice. Back: Coach Kelly Dole, Esther Pew, Brianna Douglass, Jacki Coffin, Bailey Davis, Josie Reiss, Coach David Jenkins, Liz Merrill.



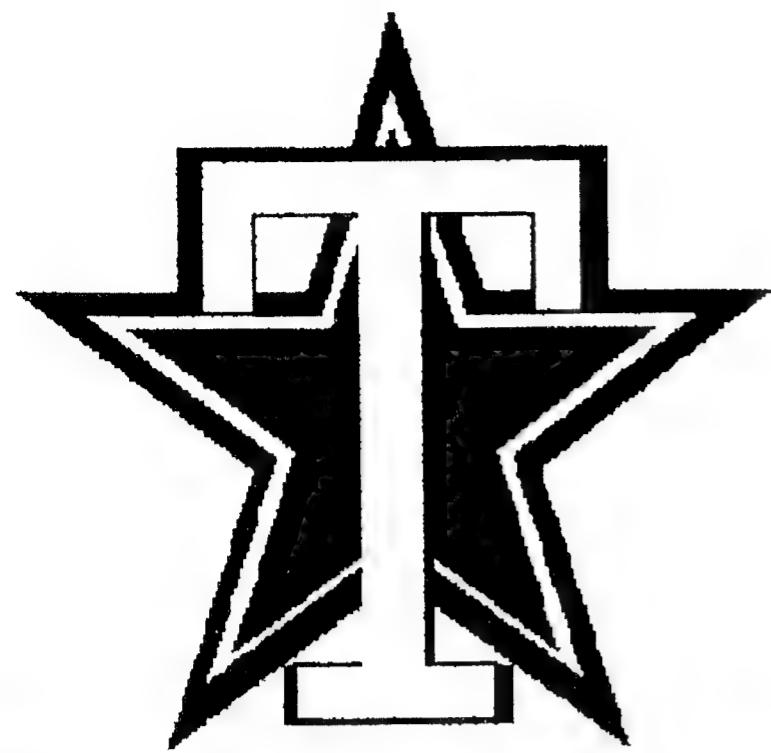
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**2006-2007 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS J.V. BASKETBALL**  
Front: Desirae Cox, Marian Hotopp, Mariah Bundy, Christina Morin. Back: Liz Merrill, Meghan Griswold, Lauretta Thurston, Jillian Poland, Stephanie Savage, Coach David Jenkins.

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# Telstar Middle School 2006-2007 Basketball Teams

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2006-2007 TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL  
Front: Ridge Latham, Josh Bellinger, Elek Pew, Justin Smith, Danny  
Whitney. Back: Shaun Baker, Corey Howard, T. J. O'Connor, Ben Field,  
Daniel Vaughn, James Carter, Coach Tim O'Connor



2006-2007 TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL BOYS J.V. BASKETBALL  
Carson McKay, Drew Wilson, Derick Poland, Josh Krahn, Austin  
Leighton, Devin Vail, Jacob Wakefield. Back: Coach Mark Thurlow,  
Jonah Thurlow, Josh Bonney, Jamie Corey, Ken Haas, Casey Thornton,  
Keegan Hutchinson, coach Tim O'Connor.



2006-2007 TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL  
Front: Kayla Merrill, Cheyanne Day, Emma Davis. Back: Coach Shelley  
Maxfield, Natasha Fifield, Nicena Walker, Emily Gaudreau, Lyndsay Mer-  
rill, Manager Katie Stover. Absent: Casey Hockman, Shannon Locklin,  
Brooke Hutchins.

2006-2007 TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS J.V. BASKETBALL  
Front: Hannah Ryerson, Katie Blaszczak, Taylor Savage, Ray-  
anne Morin, Regan Souve. Back: Coach Becky Morin, Destiny  
Long, Catelynn Bennett, Rachel Rainey, Ciara Nadeau, Jenna  
Putnam. Absent: Deanna Tucker.

(Photos courtesy NEAT)



## Events Calendar

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

Public Skating at Hebron Academy's Robinson Arena through March 4, 2007 from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Cost: \$1 for 12 and under and \$2 for everyone else. Parking at arena parking lot just off Route 119.

### Thursday, Dec. 21

7 to 8 p.m. — "Christmas Joy! Christ Brings the Closer View of God," a talk by Kari Mashos, a Christian Science practitioner at First church of Christ, Scientist, 5 Morrill Road, Norway, diagonally across from Norway Country Club. Punch and cookies at 6:30 p.m. FMI or ride: 890-9944.

### Friday, Dec. 22

1:30 to 6 p.m. — Cookies for Santa at West Paris Public Library. Children, teens, everyone may decorate Christmas sugar cookies. FMI: 674-2004.

6:30 p.m. — An Evening of Music will be held at the Church of the Nazarene, Church Street, Bethel. Special musical selections, singing of Christmas carols and a Christmas Story. A special offering will be taken for a Bangladesh children's orphanage. Everyone welcome.

### December 22 and 23

7:30 p.m. — "Bah Hoonchbach" will be featured at The Oddfellow Theater, Buckfield. Moto Hoonchbach stars as Scrooge and puts his own spin on this classic tale. Tickets: \$12 for adults, \$10 for seniors, \$6 for children 12 and under. FMI or tickets: 336-3306 or e-mail info@oddfellow.com.

### Saturday, Dec. 23

1 to 5 p.m. — Book signing by William D. Andrews of Newry and Portland of his newly released book "Stealing History," a Maine mystery set at a busy historical society and museum, at Millview Books, 225 Main Street, Mexico. FMI: 364-4901 or call Islandport Press at 688-6290 or e-mail info@islandportpress.com or visit www.islandportpress.com.

7 p.m. — Candlelight Christmas Service at West Bethel Union Church. Nesta Littlefield will be at the organ with the choir presenting several anthems. The congregation will join in with the singing of several Christmas carols. The Rev. Bell will share some stories about Christmas during the service.

7 to 10 p.m. — Old Time Dance at the Locke Mills Town Hall. Music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of the Greenwood Historical Society.

### Sunday, Dec. 24

5 p.m. — Christmas Eve Pageant and music program at Waterford Congregational Church (foot of Plummer Hill in the village). Reenactment of events of the Nativity with carol singing and selections by the Community Choir. The program is dedicated to Scott Turner.

### Wednesday, Dec. 27

7 p.m. — Black Diamond Family

Entertainment Series presents: Rebecca Frezza and Big Truck Music, Rock 'n Roll for Kids at the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, Newry. Tickets: kids (6-12) \$4 advance/\$6, adults \$6 advance/\$8. FMI and tickets: 824-3575.

### Thursday, Dec. 28

2 to 4:30 p.m. — "Board Games and Beyond!" will be offered by the Children's Department of Norway Memorial Library for children in grades 1-6. In addition to playing a wide variety of games, from Chinese checkers to Scrabble, children will have the opportunity to create a board game work on a bead stringing project. Children are welcome to bring a favorite game to share with others, and are encouraged to bring a snack. Space is limited, so parents are encouraged to pre-register by calling the Norway Library Children's Department at 743-5308.

### Friday, Dec. 29

7 p.m. — Norway Open Mic Night at the First Universalist Church, 479 Main Street, Norway. Sign-up for performers begins at 6:30. Admission: \$3 and refreshments are available. Performers are encouraged to bring and share their own brand of family-friendly entertainment. Everyone welcome and participation not required. FMI: contact Heatherat935-4505 or e-mail vessel@prexar.com.

### Saturday, Dec. 30

7 p.m. — Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series presents: The Magic of Lyn, World's Premiere Female Illusionist, at the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, Newry. Tickets: kids (6-12) \$4 advance/\$6, adults \$6 advance/\$8. FMI and tickets: 824-3575.

### Sunday, Dec. 31

9th annual New Year's Bethel. Affordable, chemical-free festival featuring a variety of live entertainment (music, humor, magic and contra dancing, marshmallow roasting, sleigh rides, dragon parade for children and much more) at selected sites in Bethel Hill village. Entertainment at four sites on Church and Broad streets from 7 to 10:15 p.m. FMI: 824-2908 or visit the website www.bethelhistorical.org.

7:30 and 10:30 p.m. — At Oddfellow Theater: Dickie Hyper-hyne's Rockin' New Year's Eve. Two shows. Tickets: \$12 all seats. FMI and reservations: 336-3306 or e-mail info@oddfellow.com.

8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. — New Year's Dance at the Locke Mills Town Hall with buffet at 9:45 p.m. Music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of the Greenwood Historical Society. Tickets: \$9 at the door.

### Monday, Jan. 1

2 p.m. — Oxford County Democrats will host a Reception and Swearing-in Ceremony for Sheriff-elect Wayne Gallant

and County Treasurer Mary Ann Prue, both of Rumford and Register of Deeds Jane Rich of Andover at the Hotel Harris, Congress Street, Rumford. FMI: call 875-2116 or e-mail cathryn@megalink.net.

## Big Truck Music and Magic

The Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series kicks off its season of superb performances with Rebecca Frezza and Big Truck Music on December 27 and The Magic of Lyn on December 30.

Kids love to bop and sing to music, but what happens when they outgrow the songs of the nursery and aren't quite old enough for contemporary Rock? On December 27, join Rebecca Frezza and Big

Truck Music to find out. With a sound infused with Pop Culture and traditional Rock influences, Rebecca Frezza provides kids with music that explores a wide range of styles — songs that sound like grown-up music but with messages that speak directly to them.

Before Rebecca Frezza began rocking the younger set, she was a high-kicking hooper working toward her

dream of performing on Broadway. From her roots in musical theatre and work as a children's music educator, she has developed into an award-winning children's music singer and songwriter.

Along the way, Rebecca gathered together an impressive group of musicians which she appropriately named "Big Truck" after one of her early "hit" songs, and began touring regionally. Her successes garnered an invitation to appear on NOGGIN's pre-

school music program eventually leading to the production of two music videos that now appear regularly on both "Jack's Big Music Show" and "Move To the Music."

Then, on December 30, you're invited to witness firsthand The Magic of Lyn's unique brand of magic guaranteed to capture the imaginations of children and adults alike. From the grandeur

of New York's Lincoln Center to the glitz and glamour of Atlantic City, Lyn Dillies has captivated audiences with her spellbinding powers of prestidigitation.

She has been hailed as the finest female magician in the land as well as one of America's top illusionists, period. The Magic of Lyn is a show filled with eye-defying illusions, hypnotic lighting, hot music, and most magical

of all, the enchanting personality of Ms Lyn Dillies.

Both shows are at 7:00 PM in the Grand Ballroom of the Grand Summit Resort Hotel at Sunday River Ski Resort.

Tickets for these family events are \$4.00 for children (6-12) and adults, \$6.00 in advance or \$6 and \$8 at the door.

Tickets may be purchased on-mountain at the

South Ridge Welcome Center, the Snow Cap Inn and the Grand Summit Hotel front desk or at Books & Things in Bethel.

For further information you may call (207) 824-3575.



and County Treasurer Mary Ann Prue, both of Rumford and Register of Deeds Jane Rich of Andover at the Hotel Harris, Congress Street, Rumford. FMI: call 875-2116 or e-mail cathryn@megalink.net.

**Monday, Jan. 8**

**Community Ski and Snowboard Days at Sunday River Ski Resort** for residents of Rumford, Mexico, Byron, Roxbury Pond, Canton, Carthage, Dixfield, Harrison, Hebron, Norway, Otisfield, Oxford, Paris, Peru and West Paris. \$10 lift tickets, \$10 ski and snowboard rentals, and \$10 for 1st Experience Learn to Ski or Ride clinics. Also, a 50 percent discount offered at food and beverage outlets. FMI: (800) 543-2SKJ or e-mail info@Sundayriver.com.

**Wednesday, Jan. 10**

11 a.m. — **Bethel Senior Citizens Club** meeting/lunch at The Sudbury Inn. Cost: \$7.50. Singer Del Parker will be the entertainment. Members planning to attend please call Nancy Mercer at 824-3350 or Arlene Lowell at 824-2877 before Jan. 5, as reservations are necessary.

**Friday, Jan. 12**

7 p.m. — **Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series** presentation:

"Laughing Pizza," a family musical group that gives a blend of original tunes with pop, country and Motown-style will be held at the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Advance tickets: \$4 for 12 and under, \$6 for adults; at door \$6 and \$8. Advance tickets available at Sunday River Welcome Center, Snow Cap Inn, The Grand Summit Resort Hotel or Books N Things, Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-3575.

**Wednesday, Jan. 17**

7 p.m. — **Mahoosuc Land Trust** speaker: Bill Eno will show slides and speak about his 2006 trip to Mount Everest at McLaughlin Science Center, Gould Academy campus. FMI: 824-3806.

### It's always wise to call ahead

Listings in The Citizen's weekly Community Calendar are compiled from a wide variety of sources. While we do our utmost to ensure the reliability of the information presented here, we recognize that when dealing with such a large volume of material, some inaccuracies will occasionally creep in. And in other cases, a sponsoring organization's plans may change between the time The Citizen is printed and the event is held. Accordingly, we strongly urge our readers to call ahead to verify the details of any event they plan to attend. Doing so will greatly reduce the chance of disappointment or needless inconvenience.

## Church Services

### ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9 a.m. Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

### ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome.

FMI: 822-3754

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Morning worship 10:45 a.m. with a Sunday School 11:15 a.m. with a Sunday School 12:15 p.m. with a Bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m. RT. 5 S Andover. 822-1741

### BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church - Pastor Kevin Bellinger (624-2500) Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9 a.m. Morning worship service at 10 a.m. Kidz Club 4 yrs 5th grade and Youth Group 6th 12th grade at 5:30pm. Prayer fellowship Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. and morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info: 824-4028

Calvary Chapel - Morning worship, child care available. Prayer Tuesday, 6 a.m. FMI call 999-7040 for more info.

### LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev Frank Higgins. Sunday morning service will begin at 10:30 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

### MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints - 26 Main Street. Wear-up service Sunday at 10 a.m. Pres. Peter Boekel 824-3621

### NEWRY

New Community Church - Sunday wear-up service 9 a.m. Roger H. Hanscom pastor. Services in the church hall at 10:30 a.m. Come as you are, for our service of peace, prayer and praise! For more information, phone 999-7324.

### RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Danier. Adult and teen Sunday School 9 a.m. Sunday worship service at 10 a.m. Sunday evening meetings at 7 p.m. Wednesday night Bible Study and youth group 7 p.m. 17th Andover Road FMI: 824-3400 see our website at http://www.praisecenter.org

### OXFORD

St. Mary's Saturday 4 p.m. Vigil Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass.

### RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - Holy Communion 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons, Priest in charge. Special Eucharistic will be announced. St. John church at the rotary.

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### RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service at 8 a.m. St. John's 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Higgins.

### SUMNER

East Summer Congregational Church - Kimball just S. 8 a.m. service on 10th Street.

### WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris. Sun. morn. 9:30 a.m.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 a.m. Bruce Evans. Past. Sandra Spalding. Presiding third Sunday of the month. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. at the River House. Sixth Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Come as you are, for our service of peace, prayer and praise! For more information, phone 999-7324.

### WINDHAM

Windham Point Church - Sunday service at 10 a.m. St. John's 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Higgins.

### WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hollings. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Adult Bible Fellowship 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Service 6:30 p.m. Wednesday night Bible study 7 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright. Sat. 8:30 a.m. Sunday 10 a.m. worship service.

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(10) News-Lehrer	Jeopardy!	Maine Exp	Made In	Messiah Choir	Austin City Limits	Charlie Rose				
(22) SportsCir.	Breakdown	College Football: Pioneer Purevision Las Vegas Bowl	- BYU vs. Oregon				SportsCir.			
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn	TNA IMPACT!	UFC Unleashed	UFC Unleashed						
(13) Entertain	The Insider	Red-Nosed Reindeer	CSI: Crime Scn	Shark	News					
(41) Tailgate	Four Downs	Poker Superstars	Best Damn Pageant	Sports	Sports	Best Damn Pageant				
(15) Thing About My Folks	Inside the NFL	Movie: "Cheaper by the Dozen 2"	Nativity	Real Sex 28						
(17) Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Recess: School's Out"	Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven				
(18) "My Little Eye" Cont'd	Movie: "Full Metal Jacket"		Movie: "King Kong"							
(20) NHL Hockey	Vancouver Canucks at Boston Bruins	Bruins	SportsDesk	Be a Bruin			SportsDesk			
(44) Still Strd	Still Strd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "A Town Without Christmas"	Will-Grace	Will-Grace				
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Movle: "National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation"					
(24) Miracle	Neutron	SpongeBob	Hi-Jinks	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.		
(25) "Cool Hand Luke" Cont'd	Movie: "Hidalgo"						"Romancing the Stone"			
(26) Law Order: CI	Law & Order: SVU	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI	Law Order: CI						
(27) CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	The First 48	Kansas City SWAT	MovieReal						
(12) Funniest Home Videos	Movie: "The Adventures of Huck Finn"		WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs					
(39) The Situation Room	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live	Anderson Cooper 360							

## MONDAY EVENING DECEMBER 25, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil	Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park		
(32) "Three Days" Cont'd										
(6) NFL Football	Inside	Deal or No Deal					1 vs. 100			
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movies: "Pirates of the Caribbean: The Curse of the Black Pearl"					News			
(10) News-Lehrer	O Come All Ye Faithful	Winter Warmth: Crane	Bucknell Christmas	Charlie Rose						
(22) Series of Poker	Countdown	NFL Football: New York Jets at Miami Dolphins					SportsCir.			
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn	Movie: "For Your Eyes Only"								
(13) Entertain	The Insider	How I Met	Two Men	CSI: Miami			News			
(41) Sports	Dest Wild	Magic vs. Bird	Eye of the Storm	Sports	Sports	Magic vs. Bird				
(15) Movie: "Home Alone 2: Lost in New York" Cont'd		Movie: "Cheaper by the Dozen 2"	Dreamgirls	Boxing's Best of 2006						
(17) Phil	So Raven	Movie: "The Santa Clause"								
(18) "Tommy Boy" Cont'd	Movie: "The Ringer"		Catalyst	Movie: "Saving Private Ryan"						
(20) TBA	Hot Stove	Walk Off Sox					SportsDesk	Hot Stove	SportsDesk	Outdoors
(44) Movie: "Noel"			Movie: "Home by Christmas"							Desperate Housewives
(5) "A Christmas Story"	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	10 Items	Seinfeld		
(24) Neutron	OddParents	SpongeBob	Phantom	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) "The Last Wagon" Cont'd	Movie: "Broken Trail"									
(26) Movie: "The Scorpion King"			WWE Monday Night Raw							"The Mummy Returns"
(27) Crossing Jordan	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	Crossing Jordan	CSI: Miami						
(12) Funniest Home Videos	Funniest Home Videos	Funniest Home Videos	WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs					
(39) Larry King Live	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live	Larry King Live	Larry King Live	Larry King Live	Larry King Live				

## FRIDAY EVENING DECEMBER 22, 2006

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil	Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park		
(32) Rudolph's-New Year	Movie: "Mary Poppins"									
(6) 207 Mag	Inside	Las Vegas	Law & Order	News						
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funniest Home Videos	20/20	News						
(10) News-Lehrer	Wash Wk	Maine.	NOW	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Wait God	My Family	MonlyPyth		
(22) SportsCir.	NBA	NBA Basketball: Houston Rockets at San Antonio Spurs	NBA Basketball: Wizards at Suns							
(34) CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn	Most Amazing Videos	Disorderly Con.						
(13) Entertain	The Insider	Home for the Holidays	Close to Home	NUMB3RS	News					
(41) Sports	Celtics	NBA Basketball: Philadelphia 76ers at Boston Celtics	Sports	Tailgate						
(15) Inside the NFL	Movie: "The Island"			Dreamgirls	Movie: "Tsunami, the Aftermath"					
(17) Montana	So Raven	Montana	Suite Life	"The Ultimate Christmas Present"	Suite Life	Suite Life	So Raven			
(18) "Who's the Man?" Cont'd	Movie: "Roll Bounce"			Movie: "Monster-in-Law"						
(20) Travis Ford	Outdoors	Port O' Call	Port O' Call	Port O' Call	SportsDesk	SportsPlus				
(44) Still Strd	Still Strd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "Christmas Child"	Will-Grace	Will-Grace				
(5) Raymond	Raymond	King	King	Movie: "Overboard"						
(24) Nicktoon	Nicktoon	Hi-jinks	Nicktoon	Nicktoon	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne		
(25) Movie: "Hidalgo" Cont'd	Movie: "Prancer"			Movie: "The Wolf Man"						
(26) Monk	Law & Order: SVU	Monk	Monk	House						
(27) CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami	CSI: Miami						
(12) Funniest Home Videos	The 75th Annual Hollywood Christmas Parade			WGN News at Nine	Sex & City	Scrubs				
(39) The Situation Room	Paula Zahn Now	Larry King Live	Anderson Cooper 360							

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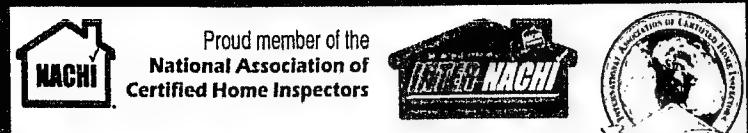
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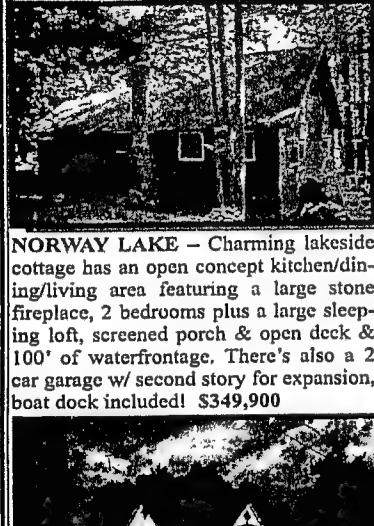
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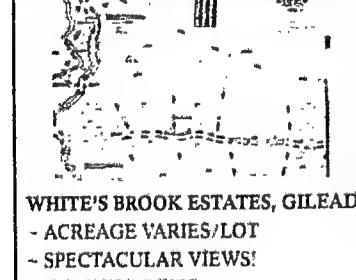
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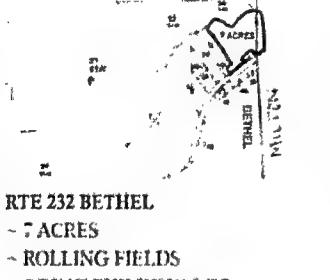
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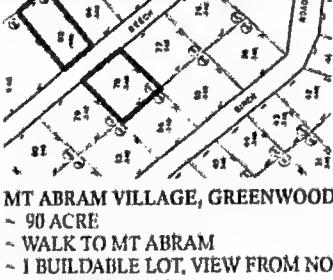
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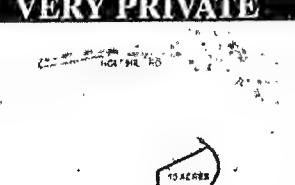
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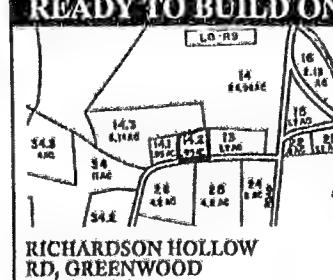
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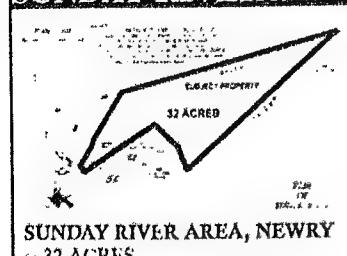
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West Summit Road, Woodstock: Wooded, one-acre lot just off Route 26 in and centrally located to lakes and skiing. This site offers views of the surrounding mountains and offers privacy. Price reduced to \$49,900



Powder Ridge Lot 92, Newry: This beautiful 1.13+ acre lot with scenic views is located in the exclusive Powder Ridge neighborhood just minutes from Sunday River's world class skiing and golf. This is the perfect location for your year-round primary or vacation home. \$92,000



Powder Ridge Lot 99, Newry: Located in the coveted Powder Ridge subdivision, this lot has already the best views. A Sunday River and Mahoosuc Estate, with a complete view of the White Cap, Lockett and Banker peaks. This lot is the perfect place to build your dream home. \$295,000



6 Mill Hill Road, Hanover: Located near beautiful Howard Pond and the Androscoggin River, just a few minutes from Sunday River. This cottage home is perfect for year-round or vacational pursuits. This lovely home is fully remodeled with refinished hardwood flooring, new bathroom, new kitchen, updated exterior, and a detailed porch and walkway. \$139,000

### HOUSE LOTS:

Lot 39:	\$295,000	Lot 54:	\$225,000
Lot 40:	\$235,000	Lot 55:	\$205,000
Lot 42:	\$299,000	Lot 56:	\$205,000
Lot 44:	\$245,000	Lot 57:	\$225,000
Lot 45:	\$279,000	Lot 58:	<b>PENDING</b>
Lot 49:	\$295,000	20 Fairway Drive:	Call for details
Lot 51:	\$195,000	37 Fairway Drive:	Call for details
Lot 52:	\$195,000	42 Goose Eye Drive:	Call for details
Lot 53:	\$195,000		

### HOUSE PACKAGES:

20 Fairway Drive:	Call for details
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### Fall Line

W-214	1 BR 1 Bth	\$145,000
E-207	1 BR 1 Bth	\$145,000
W-112	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD
E-106	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD
S-206	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD
N-105	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD

### Sunrise

C-104	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD
A-104	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD
C-106	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD
C-129	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD
G-101	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD

### Merrill Brook

III-B	1 BR 1 Bth	\$165,000
III-D	1 BR 1 Bth	SOLD

### Spectacular lots are now available in the Mahoosuc Glen subdivision on the nationally-heralded Sunday River Golf Club, an 18-hole championship course designed by Robert Trent Jones, Jr. These home sites offer sweeping vistas over the course and the Sunday River Valley. Just minutes from the ski slopes, this is a unique opportunity for four-season vacationing.

Brookside I & II	
B-213 Studio/1 Bth	\$84,900
A-203 Studio/1 Bth	\$87,900
A-205 Studio/1 Bth	\$87,900
A-207 Studio/1 Bth	\$87,900
A-212 Studio/1 Bth	\$92,000
B-115 1 BR/1 Bth	\$125,000
A-302 1 BR/1 Bth	\$139,000
B-314 1 BR/1 Bth	\$142,900
B-208 2 BR/1 Bth	\$209,900
B-401 2 BR/1 Bth	\$209,900
B-106 2 BR/1 Bth	\$210,000
<b>South Ridge</b>	
B-2 2 BR/1.75 Bth	\$275,000
F-1 3 BR/1.75 Bth	\$425,000
B-6 3 BR/1.5 Bth	SOLD
B-4 1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
<b>White Cap</b>	
A-401 1 BR/1 Bth	\$144,900
B-408 1 BR/1 Bth	\$149,900
B-218 1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
B-405 1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
B-412 1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
A-406 1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

<b>Cascades</b>	
B-15 Studio/1 Bth	\$88,000
B-16 Studio/1 Bth	\$95,000
A-24 1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
B-25 1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
C-11 1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
<b>Locke Mountain</b>	
A-3 3 BR/2.75 Bth	\$525,000
A-8 3 BR/2.75 Bth	SOLD
C-1 3 BR/3.75 Bth	SOLD
A-2 3 BR/3.75 Bth	SOLD
I-1	SOLD
<b>North Peak</b>	
NPII-207 2 BR/1 Bth	\$198,500
NPI-304 2 BR/1 Bth	PENDING
NPI-208 2 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
NPII-109 2 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
NPII-203 2 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
NPI-105 2 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

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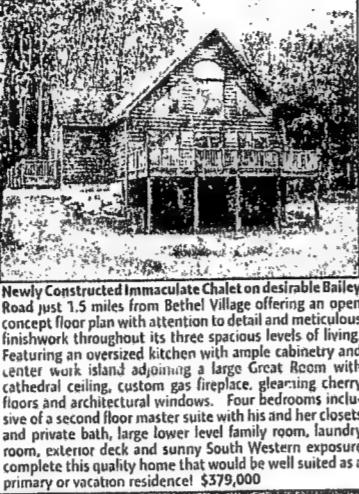
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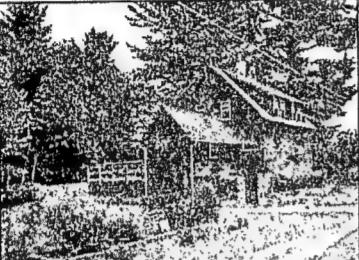
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This beautiful, newly constructed home boasts coveted crystal clear Bear River water frontage and Sunday River Ski Trail views from inside and out! Perfect for primary or vacation living offering an open floor plan with spacious kitchen/dining area and large living room with cathedral ceiling and loft above, and with 3 BRs and a family room, there's plenty of space for family and friends. Private rear deck with hot tub is the perfect retreat after a long, hard day on the ski slopes! \$307,900



Richardson Hollow, Greenwood: Charming 2 bedroom converted schoolhouse in a quiet rural location close to lakes and skiing offers a lovely yard, mountain views from inside and out, sauna, and loads of possibilities for expansion or year round living. A unique offering for only \$79,900

**HOUSE LOTS & LAND**

Milton Road, Milton .5 Acres.....	\$12,900	Milton Road, Milton Two abutting 53+/- acre parcels, Engineered Bridge and Private Road...each \$155,900
Hemingway Road, Milton 1.25 Acres.....	\$22,900	Rt 2 Frontage, Bethel 52 Acres.....\$298,000
East Bethel Road, Bethel 1.3 Acres.....	<b>SOLD</b>	E. Milton Road 3.1+/- Acres.....\$49,900
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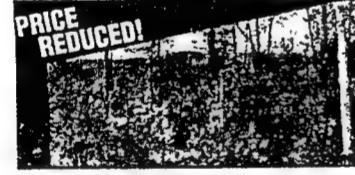
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**WILL VIEW PHASE II**

- Desirable & established subdivision with choice building lots.
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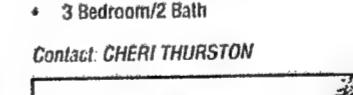
Lot 25 1.77 Acres \$65,900  
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Lot 28 1.59 Acres \$74,900  
Lot 29 1.04 Acres \$74,900  
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Lot 31 1.01 Acres \$74,900  
Lot 32 1.13 Acres \$79,900  
Lot 33 1.49 Acres \$79,900  
Lot 34 1.04 Acres \$74,900

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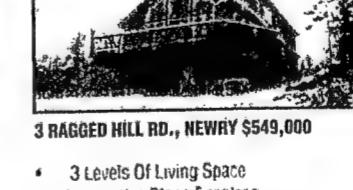
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**LAND**

**Off Chandler Hill, Bethel:** The location of HIDE-A-WAY HILLS subdivision can't be beat! Minutes off of Rte 26 and just a couple miles from Bethel Village, these lots offer a perfect setting! With views of the surrounding mountains, including Mt Abram Skiway, a home built nestled in the trees would make a fantastic primary or secondary residence. ONLY 3 LOTS LEFT! \$55,000 & up

**MT.ABRAM SKIWAY, GREENWOOD:** Over three-and-a-half acres just up the road from Westside Ski Lodge! This triple lot is on a town-maintained dirt road with good frontage and power at street. Lots of possibilities with this one, so give us a call and we'll explain the details. POSSIBLE OWNER FINANCING with as low as 15% down. \$99,000

**TOP OF POWDER RIDGE, NEWRY:** Drive up the paved hills of Powder Ridge to its highest & uppermost cul-de-sac and experience the best mountain views for miles! All 8 Sunday River peaks are at your feet with the Presidentials & Mahoosucs rounding out a 180 degree panorama that will take your breath away. Over 3 acres just minutes to skiing & golf in an area of magnificent homes—other lots have good views, but this lot is spectacular! \$199,000

**MONARCH CIRCLE ESTATES, BETHEL:** Quiet, private & convenient location just off Rte. 2 near Pleasant River. Snowmobile trail, horseback riding, Sunday River Resort, Bethel downtown & scenic hiking trails are all close by. These new subdivision lots are only one mile from an Androscoggin River public boat landing & there's a quaint country store within walking distance. Your choice of nice fields, wooded privacy and some lots with potential mountain views! Affordable & ready for your building plans. \$34,900 and up

**ROUND POND CHANNEL, GREENWOOD:** An acre of land with 500'+/- of water frontage along the banks of the channel extending from Alder River dam to North Pond, South Pond and Round Pond. Use the public boat launch right next to this parcel or put in your own dock & park your camper. Non-buildable lot. \$24,900

**KOSKELA RD, SO.WOODSTOCK:** Beautiful rolling pasture land between Paris & Bryant Pond, on a nice country road, with mountain views! Eight-and-a-half acres with 450 ft. of road frontage, a long brook boundary on one side and cleared fields for a choice of building sites. This lot is both large & pretty! \$69,900

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**Off Rte 26, Bryant Pond:** Conveniently located in a nice, lush 3 acre wooded lot w/stone walls, this log-sided new construction has loads of elbow room for a truly unique log home. Large great room, open floor plan, 3 season sunroom, tile floors, wide-plank hemlock, full height windows, 2 car garage, & the list goes on. Even direct access to snowmobile trails & mtn views from the upper floor. Call for completion date & completion soon, so call us for a grand tour. \$249,000

**Paradise Rd, Bethel:** Nestled on a quiet, level lot, this log-sided cabin has loads of character & curb appeal. Large front porch, 2 car garage, & a wrap-around deck overlooking the pond. Open floor plan, kitchen w/center island, dining, living, & a large deck overlooking the pond. Great views of the pond & surrounding woods. \$249,000

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**NEW LISTING!**

**Log Cabin Lane, Greenwood:** Located on Rose Hill, just up the road from South Pond, Twitchell Pond & Lake Christopher, this new log-sided chateau boasts 3 finished floors of planking natural wood walls & lots of sunny windows. Beautiful stone fireplace, large log-poled ceiling, stainless steel appliances, kitchen island w/stone top, sunroom, walk-out basement, & a large deck overlooking the pond. Access to town for shopping, dining, pool & miles minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort. Also nearby are river, lake and Mt. Abram Ski Area recreation. Completion date is soon so call us to take a look. \$275,000

**SIMILAR UNDER CONSTRUCTION**

**English Woods Drive, Bethel:** Looking for a new, log-sided home w/planking natural wood walls & lots of sunny windows? Beautiful stone fireplace, large log-poled ceiling, stainless steel appliances, kitchen island w/stone top, sunroom, walk-out basement, & a large deck overlooking the pond. Access to town for shopping, dining, pool & miles minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort. Also nearby are river, lake and Mt. Abram Ski Area recreation. Completion date is soon so call us to take a look. \$275,000

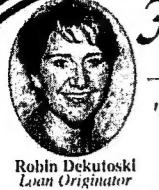
**Powder Ridge, Sunday River:** New log-sided tri-level home offers a pvt front w/an abundance of windows to take in the great mtn views. Cozy up to the soaring two-story stone fireplace or relax to the large log-poled ceiling. Some fun! There's 3BRs plus a loft, 3 baths and plenty of room for everyone! With maple cabinets, granite countertops, real hardwood floors, stainless steel appliances, cathedral ceilings & an open floor plan, it's perfect for entertaining or relaxing. Only a short miles from Sunday River Ski Resort! \$300,000

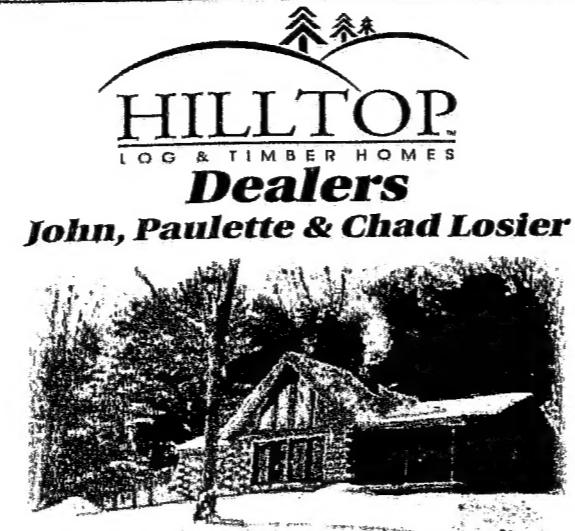
**India's Way at Mt. Abram Shores:** Nestled in a clearing, this log-sided cabin has loads of character & curb appeal. Large front porch, 2 car garage, & a wrap-around deck overlooking the pond. Great views of the pond & surrounding woods. \$249,000

**South Pond Shores, Greenwood:** Magnificent custom log-sided home, just completed & being sold w/landscaping, 6 border plantings. DEFIDED BEACH DOCK RIGHTS TO SOUTH POND is the "gem on the lake" for this summer pvt front chateau! Set on 5.15 private wooded acres. Custom hardwick floors, granite kitchen, fireplace, cathedral ceilings, arched glass, stainless steel appliances, sunroom, deck, porch & room for expansion in the expansive walkout basement. The bath has 200+ feet of nice sandy shoreline & dock is large enough for your speedboat or canoe! This house has it all & more! \$300,000

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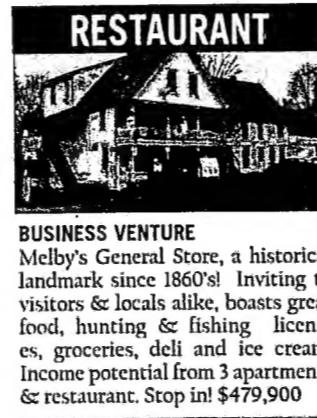
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**NEW PRICE!**  
**SKI AND GOLF VIEWS**  
 Spectacular views of Sunday River Ski Resort and the Sunday River Golf Club, this spacious 6 bedroom home is the perfect getaway for those looking for space, rental opportunities and privacy \$449,000



**EARLY NEW ENGLAND HOME**  
 New England home w' frontage on Sunday River. Well maintained property features 7 BR each with private bath. Scenic setting w' tennis court, built in swimming pool & extensive perennial gardens. Minutes to skiing and golf \$500,000



**NEW LOG SIDED HOME**  
 Currently under construction, finished late 2006, 3 BR log sided home just south of downtown Bethel and 15 mins. to skiing and golf at Sunday River. Unfinished daylight basement with potential for additional BR or family room. \$249,000



**MAINE'S PREMIER SKI HOME**  
 Extraordinary home in a secluded western Maine setting. A true mountain jewel boasting spectacular views. Perfect year round or weekend retreat! \$370,000



**RED HOUSE FARM VILLAGE**  
 3 bedroom, 3 bath home will be ready by March 2006. Featuring a 2 bay garage, tile, white washed cabinets, brick fireplace, built ins, 9' ceilings, tile, spacious family room, 2 garage. A must see. \$350,000



**PARADISE COLONIAL**  
 Exceptional home with many amenities. 3 BR, 2.5 BA, custom kitchen, 3-car attached garage. Nicely landscaped w/ backyard deck. Master BR w/ walk in closet & BA w/ whirlpool. Town water & sewer. Walking distance to Bethel. \$395,000



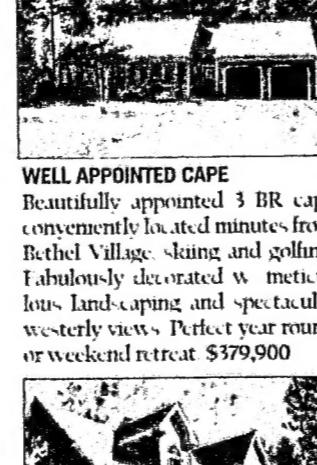
**BETHEL VILLAGE MULTI-UNIT**  
 Located in Historic district of Bethel. Main House features beautiful wood floors, fireplace, 3 additional rental units, plus mother in law quarters, 3 bay garage. \$495,000



**BETHEL VILLAGE CAPE**  
 Attractive Village home with 2 BR with opportunity for expansion located within walking distance of town and village amenities. Fireplace with local rock. Large deck overlooking the mountains. 2 car garage. \$325,000



**WALKING DISTANCE TO BETHEL**  
 Great primary or secondary home, spacious, walk to town, nice screened porch, hard wood floors, garage and heated out building, rental history available. \$249,900



**WELL APPOINTED CAPE**  
 Beautifully appointed 3 BR cape conveniently located minutes from Bethel Village, skiing and golfing. Fabulously decorated w/ meticulous landscaping and spectacular water views. Perfect year round or weekend retreat! \$379,900



**WONDERFUL FARMHOUSE STYLE**  
 Newly renovated maintenance free home in a quiet subdivision close to town and all season activities. Two farmer's porches, bamboo flooring, brick fireplace, built ins, 9' ceilings, tile, spacious family room, 2 garage. A must see. \$539,000



**READY EARLY 2007!**  
**TWITCHELL BROOK ESTATES**  
 22 under construction condominiums spread across 10 scenic acres and located east of Bethel village en route Sunday River Ski/Golf Resort. Open floorplan with 3 BR, 2.5 BA, attached garage (end units), gas fireplace & more. Starting at \$279,000+



**NEW LISTING!**  
**CAMERON HOUSE CONDOMINIUMS**  
 Walk to schools, parks and golf course! 6 renovated units located in downtown Bethel walking distance to all village amenities including the Mountain Explorer. Unique 1 3 bed room units. Porches, decks, granite countertops, wood and tile floors. Starting at \$129,000



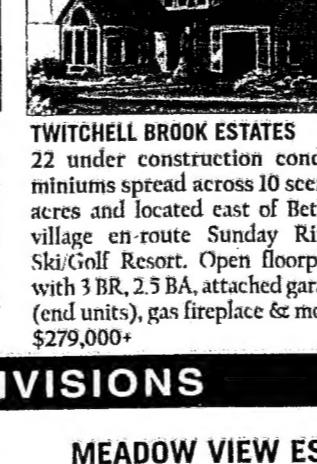
**GREAT STARTER HOME**  
 Private Ranch convenient to Rte 26 and just outside Bethel. Spacious kitchen and living area, 3 BR 2 BA, full basement. Nicely landscaped 74 acre lot, great garden spot, babbling brook & storage barn. Ready to move in. \$149,000



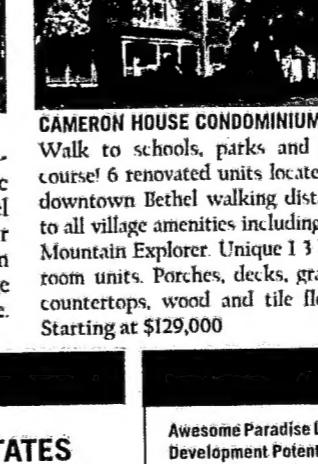
**4 SEASON SKI HOUSE/LAKE HOUSE**  
 Waterfront cottage with magnificent views of Mt Abram and surrounding water bodies. Fully renovated, new open floor plan, great 4 season sun porch with access to large backyard & 100+ frontage on North Pond. \$399,000



**NEWLY BUILT HOME-BIRCHWOODS**  
 Newly built home with large great room, separate living room with fireplace. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, deck, sun room, hardwood floors, tile, architectural windows, 2 car garage, bonus room all on a nice lot. \$399,000



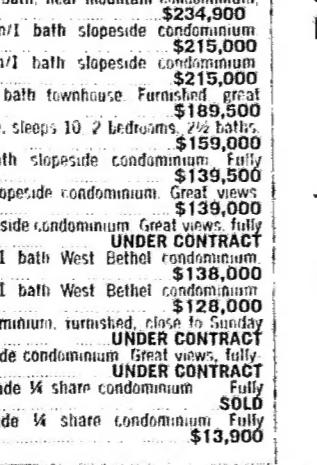
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**EDEN RIDGE: THE NEXT PHASE**  
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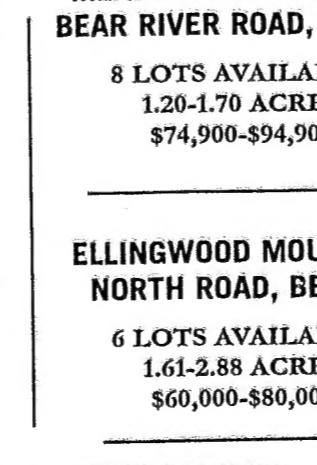
**CONDOS**  
**SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES:** 3 bedroom 2 baths near mountain community. \$249,000  
**#3 MARKER BROOK:** 2 bedroom 1 1/2 bath near mountain condominium partially furnished. \$234,900  
**309 NORTH PEAK II:** 2 bedroom 1 bath slopeside condominium. Furnished. \$215,000  
**308 NORTH PEAK I:** 2 bedroom 1 1/2 bath slopeside condominium. Furnished. \$215,000  
**1B EDEN RIDGE:** 2 bedroom 1 1/2 bath townhouse. Furnished. great views. HW floors, close to town. \$189,500  
**JORDAN GRAND 317-323D:** 14 share, sleeps 10. 2 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, deck, sunroom, fireplace. \$159,000  
**G105 SUNRISE:** 1 bedroom 1 bath slopeside condominium. Fully furnished. \$139,500  
**BROOKSIDE II:** 1 bedroom 1 bath slopeside condominium. Fully furnished. \$139,000  
**BROOKSIDE II:** 1 bedroom 1 bath slopeside condominium. Great views, fully furnished. UNDER CONTRACT  
**#9 PLEASANT RIVER:** 2 bedroom 1 bath West Bethel condominium. Fully furnished. \$138,000  
**#10 PLEASANT RIVER:** 2 bedroom 1 bath West Bethel condominium. Fully furnished. \$128,000  
**RIVERBEND:** 1 bedroom 1 bath condominium, unrented, close to Sunday River shuttle route. UNDER CONTRACT  
**CASCADES:** Studio unit 1 bath slopeside condominium. Fully furnished. \$130,000  
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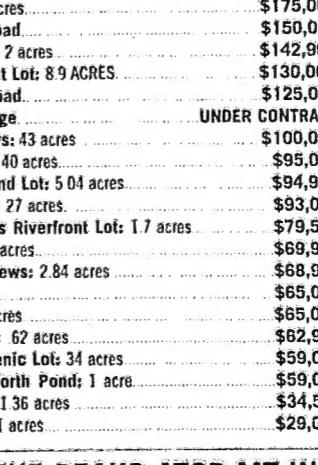
**RIVER GLEN**  
 INTERVALE ROAD, BETHEL  
 10 LOTS AVAILABLE  
 1.55-5.5 ACRES  
 \$47,900-\$89,900



**ELLINGWOOD MOUNTAIN NORTH ROAD, BETHEL**  
 6 LOTS AVAILABLE  
 1.61-2.88 ACRES  
 \$60,000-\$80,000



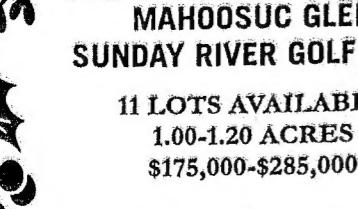
**QUEEN'S LANDING MASON TOWNSHIP**  
 3 LOTS AVAILABLE  
 5.13-3.25 ACRES  
 \$28,000-\$29,000



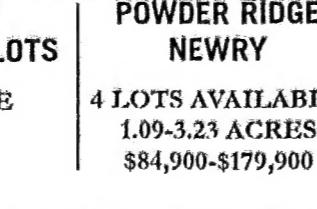
**WHEELER'S ACRES BETHEL**  
 3 LOTS AVAILABLE  
 5.00-12.70 ACRES  
 \$69,500-\$98,500



**THE PEAKS ATOP MT WILL NEWRY**  
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 1.49-10.1 ACRES  
 \$121,500-\$325,000



**HARBOR HILL WOODSTOCK**  
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 1.09-3.23 ACRES  
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**MAHOOSUC GLEN SUNDAY RIVER GOLF LOTS**  
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**NEW CONSTRUCTION**



**NEW LISTING - BETHEL:** Just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort and in town amenities, finds this Beautiful New Chalet currently under construction. This Wonderful floor plan consists of a Great Rm with Sunny Eastern exposure and wood floors. The spacious Living Rm area to include a Field Stone Fireplace as a focal point, Kitchen of hardwood cabinets and granite counter tops including appliances. The Dining area opens onto an expansive deck, also included on this level a Master Bedroom with its own bath and additional BR & Bath. The second Floor 2BR, 1Bath. The lower level which is Daylight offers expansion possibilities. This property has all the bells & whistles one could ask for at an Unbelievable Price of \$292,900!

**NEARBY SUNDAY RIVER ~ PRICE REDUCED!**

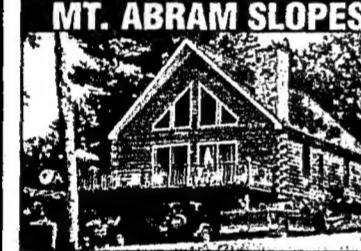


**NEW CONSTRUCTION PARADISE PINES:** A Brand New Oversized Chalet has just been constructed! Offering coveted Paradise Hill location only mins to Bethel Village amenities, 2 skiways, 2 golf courses, & a myriad of beautiful lakes & rivers, the scenic setting & notable construction of this year round home is exceptional. A spacious Great Rm w/wood cathedral ceiling is enriched w/an impressive fir to ceiling stone fireplace, 3 1/4" birch flring, & adj Kitchen area complete w/stainless steel appliances. 3 BRs Inclusive of a master suite with walk-in closet, whirlpool tub & separate shower, upper level loft, 3 Baths, full daylight Bsmnt & Garage. Timbers Decking w/ Log Rail & Balusters Effectually Accented the Classic Alpine Design of this Quality New Home. \$355,900 \$299,900!

**NEARBY SUNDAY RIVER ~ PRICE REDUCED!**



**SUNDAY VALLEY ACRES OFF THE SUNDAY RIVER ROAD:** Only minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort find this charming neighborhood of rusticly attractive ski chalets. Among the most striking of homes nestled amidst hardwood is this 2005 Contemporized Chalet offering an ample floor plan. Lovely GR w/impressive stone fireplace, eye catching windows, 3BRs inclusive of a master suite w/walk-in closet & bath, Loft area, pine walls & floors, wraparound deck, and garage....The ideal getaway at \$319,900



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B-108 2 Bdrm/1 Bath \$224,900

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A-214 Studio/1 Bath \$92,500

B-111 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$124,900

A-116 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$132,900

A-306 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$139,900

B-306 1 bdrm/1 bATH \$149,900

**FALL LINE**

S-102 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$144,900

**LOCKE MOUNTAIN**

N-2 4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath \$699,000

O-4 4 Bdrm/3.75 Bath \$699,000

L-3 4 Bdrm/3.5 Bath \$699,000

D-1 4 Bdrm/3.75 Bath \$729,900

**MERRILL BROOK**

3C 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$164,900

3D 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$180,000

1C 1 Bdrm/1 Bath SOLD

**NORTHPEAK**

III-303 2 Bdrm/1 Bath PENDING

**SUNRISE**

C-116 18Bdrm/1 Bath \$146,000

**SOUTH RIDGE**

B-2 2 Bdrm/1.5 Bath \$275,000

I-4 1 Bdrm/2 Bath \$289,000

F-1 3 Bdrm/1.75 Bath \$450,000

**WHITE CAP**

A-305 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$137,500

A-304 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$149,900

**AREA TOWNHOMES**

**BARKER BROOK**

2 Bdrm/Lfth/1.5 Bath \$250,000

**BETHEL INN TOWNHOMES**

2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$259,900

**CHAMBERLAIN CONDOMINIUMS**

2 Bdrm/1 Bath \$150,000

#33-A 2 Bdrm/1 Bath \$164,900

#36-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$189,900

**EDEN RIDGE**

#3-D 3Bdm/2 Bath \$189,000

**SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES**

4 Bdrm/4 Bath \$439,900

#6 4 Bdrm/4 Bath \$149,900

**SUNDAY RIVER QUARTERSHARES**

**JORDAN GRAND QUARTERSHARE**

149-B Studio/1 Bath \$17,000

131-C Studio/1 Bath \$26,900

161-A Studio/1 Bath \$28,900

161-B Studio/1 Bath \$28,900

104/106 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$35,000

253-C 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$35,000

152/154C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath/Ckout \$42,900

156-C 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$46,000

263/265-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$54,000

253-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$55,000

**GRAND SUMMIT QUARTERSHARE**

221-C Studio/1 Bath \$13,900

317-B Studio/1 Bath \$15,995

325/327-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$28,000

265/267-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$35,000

370B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath \$36,900

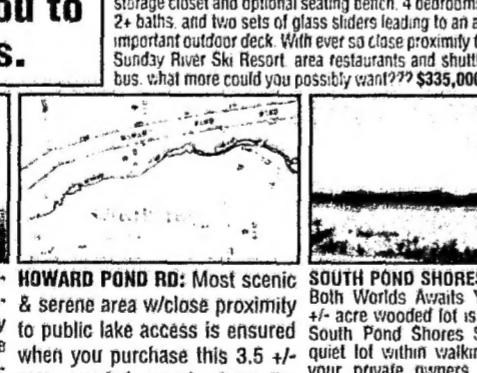
120/122-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$41,000

330/332-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath \$41,000

161/163-D 2 Bdrm/2 Bath/Ckout SOLD

250/252-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath SOLD

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## Obituaries



ters, Nancy Morgan of Bryant Pond and Sherry Wentworth and her husband Marc of Bryant Pond; a son, Michael and his wife Holly of South Paris; three sisters, Elsie Seames and husband Peter of Greenwood, Nonie Cole and husband Carlton of Greenwood and Marilyn Howe and husband Wayne of Bryant Pond; four brothers, Leslie and wife Georgena of Norway, James and wife Anne of Fryeburg, Carl and friend Sylvia McNally of Danville and Duane Roberts of Greenwood; eight grandchildren, Joshua Morgan, Todd Walker, Ridge Latham, Jamie and Kyle Roberts, Mark Huston, Lindsey Roberts and Marcus Wentworth; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents; three brothers, Stanley, Philip and Kenneth; and one sister, Florence Seames.

A private, graveside family service will be held at the family's convenience. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the National Audubon Society or the Sportsmen's Alliance of Maine.

He worked at Gilbert Manufacturing in Locke Mills for 42 years, formerly known as Ekco Tebbs, and retired in 1999. He married Peggy Henley in Bethel on June 1, 1957. They had three children and resided in Bryant Pond for 33 years.

He was an avid hunter, fisherman and gardener. He loved hiking through the mountains, berry picking and spending time with his family and friends.

He is survived by two daugh-



EDITH MOREY

Edith Morey, 81, passed away on Sunday, Dec. 17, 2006 at the Norway Rehabilitation and Living Center.

She was born Jan. 21, 1925, in Greenwood, the daughter of the late Silas and Eva (Fiske) Keniston. She graduated valedictorian of the West Paris High School, Class of 1943. On Feb. 10, 1945, she married Ivan Morey of West Paris.

She was a lifelong resident of the Greenwood area. She was a member of the West Paris Unitarian Universalist Church and a charter member of the former Ring-McKeen Legion in West Paris. When it closed, she transferred her membership to the Jackson-Silver Legion in Locke Mills. She was also a life member of the Granite Chapter of Eastern Star in West Paris.

In Loving Memory  
of my Youngest Son  
Curt Alan Martin

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## Births

Melissa Andrews and Keith Hilton, Jr. of Bethel are proud to announce the birth of a baby boy, Shale Michael Hilton, born Nov. 13, 2006 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 9 ounces.

Shale Michael joins his four-year-old brother, Malaki.

Maternal grandparents are Tina and Jonathan Wilcox of South Paris.

Paternal grandparents are Keith and Lorraine Hilton, Sr. of Conway, N.H.

Maternal great-grandparents are Linda Liimatta and the late William Liimatta of West Paris.

Charles and Karen Hall of Norway are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Michael Scott Hall, born on Nov. 14, 2006 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 9 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are John and Janice Hatstat of Norway.

Paternal grandparents are Brad and Dale Hall of Norway.

Michael Scott joins his brother, Charles William Hall Jr., age 2.

**In Memory of**  
**Patricia M. Blaquier**  
Dec. 26, 1933 - Dec. 24, 2005  
**Brothers**  
**Sisters**

## Card of Thanks

Many thanks to all for visits, flowers, prayers, food, birthday (88), get well, and Christmas cards brought to the Swains in December.

Violet and Robert Swain

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Thank You and have a MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR from all of us at D&E Sanitation Service.

## Super Crossword Answers

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